

## GEN. VILLA PURSUES FLEEING FEDERALS

Rebel Commander Dispatches  
Men In Pursuit of Federals  
Retreating to Ojinaga

## WANTS ARMS AND EQUIPMENT

Villa Hopes to Capture Troops, Seize Their  
Arms and Equipment and Confiscate  
Money Belonging to the Fugitives

## WILL PROTECT NON-COMBATANTS

JUAREZ, Mexico, Dec. 5.—Instead of occupying Chihuahua, the state capital, General Francisco Villa with his 7,000 rebels camped along the railroad north of the city, today returned hurriedly to Villa Ahumada, the telegraph station, to dispatch more men in pursuit of the federal retreating toward Ojinaga on the border. A garrison of 500 rebels occupies fort at Ojinaga and General Villa said his soldiers would not permit the federal troops to reach the border or cross over into the United States without a fight. His purpose is not only to capture the federal troops but also to seize their arms and equipment.

The federal, however will be in majority unless they are overtaken by the rebels pursuers. With the 2,000 or more fugitive federal Gen. Salvador Mercado, deposed military governor and commander, numerous other generals and officers and members of wealthy Chihuahua families who left the city precipitately on foot in fear of a rebel attack.

Will Confiscate Money.  
General Villa expressed his intention to confiscate the money which the fugitives were reported to have withdrawn from the banks before evacuation. He said he would protect the non-combatants except such as were considered political offenders. Members of the Terrazas family were placed by him in the latter class.

Crowd of people with automobiles camped at Presidio, Texas, opposite Ojinaga, in anticipation that the refugees, including the federalists would cross the river. Should the federalists disheartened by their long sojourn in Chihuahua and by the decision of General Mercado to flee because of the bankrupt condition of his army, desires to cross, they would give up their arms on the American side. The report reached Ojinaga that the fugitives had been in great distress since their route was across a waterless desert.

Part of Fugitives Turn West.  
Rebels reported that part of the fugitives had turned to the west and were approaching Palomas on the border opposite Columbus, N. M. While there were said to be General Jose Salazar and Pascual Orozco both of whom are under indictment in the United States for violations of the neutrality laws.

Another reason why Villa returned to Villa Ahumada was to communicate with General Carranza, head of the constitutional party, who is in Sonora.

Placed at his victories in the north and confident that his projected march toward Mexico City will be marked by desertions or evacuations by the federalists, General Villa himself showed no haste to enter Chihuahua, the largest city now held by the rebels.

Some of his troops commanded by General Chao, went into the city yesterday.

IS FOUND DROWNED.  
Stockholm, Dec. 5.—Carl Werner, a wealthy manufacturer and commodore of the Stockholm yacht club was found drowned today in the sound. He had been missing for nine days and it is believed he committed suicide because of a love affair.

## FRIDAY IN CONGRESS

Senate.  
Met at 10 a. m.  
Ratification of Democratic currency bill program delayed.  
Consideration of Hetch Hetchy bill resumed.  
Inter-state commerce committee proposed consideration of trust bills.  
Recessed from 6 to 8 p. m.  
Continued debate on Hetch Hetchy bill.  
Adjourned at 10:55 p. m. to 10 a. m. Saturday.

House.  
Met at noon.  
Hearings of LaFollette seaman's bill set for Dec. 13.  
Magill-Dyer election contest set for hearing on Dec. 15.  
Good roads committee agreed to begin hearings on many federal aid bills Monday.  
Passed resolution extending to February 1, time for classification of surface lands of Chickasha and Choctaw nations.  
Authorized Chairman Garrett of the lobby committee to read his report Tuesday.  
Debated Southern omnibus claim bill without reaching a vote.  
Adjourned at 4:50 p. m. to noon Saturday.

## GRAY HAIRED MATRONS MUST PAY THE PENALTY

FIVE VOLO WOMEN FOUND GUILTY OF  
RIDING MRS. J. RICHARDSON ON RAIL

Mrs. Kate Wagner, the Sixth Woman  
Implicated, is Freed By Jury—  
Mrs. Richardson is Satisfied With  
The Verdict and is Agreeable to  
Letting the Women Off With a  
Fine.

WAUKEGAN, Ill., Dec. 5.—Five gray haired women of the village of Volo who rode Mrs. John Richardson on a rail one night in July because her name was linked by gossip with that of her brother-in-law were found guilty here tonight. Each may be fined \$200 and sentenced to six months in jail.

The band of militant housewives who took the law in their own hands was composed of Mrs. Emma Stadfield, Mrs. Levia Raymond, Mrs. Mary Sabel and Mrs. John Stadfield.

Mrs. Kate Wagner, the sixth woman who started to carry Mrs. Richardson outside the village limits was freed by the jury because she returned before the victim was given her ride.

There was no evidence that Mrs. Wagner helped support the rail and its burden.

Mrs. Sabel's 65 years make her the oldest of the convicted five and the others are well above forty. They sat huddled and dazed in the court room tonight as the verdict was read. They bore no resemblance to the angry women, outraged because they believed a neighbor preferred the company of another to her crippled husband, who enticed Mrs. Richardson from her home by a subterfuge, placed her astride a scolding, bore her screaming and fighting to the edge of town and dumped her to the road with a warning never to return.

R. J. Dady, assistant state attorney in the afternoon compared the action of the Volo women to that of "Christ when the Pharisees brought to him the woman who had sinned."

Christ said, "he who is without sin, let him first cast a stone," said the prosecutor. "Those defendants thought nothing of their own possible shortcomings. They were inflamed by the forked tongue of gossip and, taking courage in numbers, enticed this woman from her home and submitted her to as great an indignity as I know of."

The jury deliberated an hour, largely on the question of freeing Mrs. Wagner.

Mrs. Richardson was not vindictive against her former friends. She was satisfied with a conviction and was agreeable to letting the women off with a fine. She has a civil suit for \$100,000 pending against them.

Edward Krepel also was indicted with the six women. It was charged that, dressed in the garb of a woman he assisted the self-appointed vigilantes. He has disappeared.

ECENTRIC NIANITIC JEWELER  
IS FOUND DEAD ON COAL PILE

It Is Not Known Whether He Was  
Victim of Robbers or Came To His  
Death By Accidental Fall.

Niantic, Ill., Dec. 5.—Hugh White, an eccentric old jeweler here who was reputed to be a miser, was found dead today in the rear room of his little hovel house which he used as a drawer under his work bench was found lying, doubled up, on a pile of coal. It has not been determined whether he was the victim of robbers or came to his death by an accidental fall.

Physicians say that either one or two wounds—one over the right temple and one between the eyes—was adequate to have caused the old man's death. Two suspects are held pending the coroner's inquest which will be held tomorrow. White, who was more than seventy years of age was a cripple and is said to have kept considerable money in his house. In a drawer under his work bench was found a roll of bills and some small coin, the aggregate of which was more than \$400. It is claimed that he had displayed a can of gold to several persons. The can has not been located.

The old man lived alone and seldom appeared on the streets. He was last seen alive Thursday night. He was a whiskey drinker and the theory has been advanced that while intoxicated he stumbled over the coal and fell, striking his head. He is survived by a son and a daughter. The former lives in Cincinnati and the latter in St. Louis.

COULD NOT PRACTICE BEFORE  
JUDGES HE HAD APPOINTED

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Dec. 5.—The fact that he would have been compelled to practice law before judges whom he had appointed when he was president prompted former president William H. Taft to give up Cincinnati as his home and accept the position of professor of law at Yale university, according to a statement made by him in a brief address before the Cincinnati city charter commission here today.

## NEW YORKERS SURRENDER

New York, Dec. 5.—Arthur McLean and Everett Fowler, indicted yesterday for receiving and soliciting respectively campaign contributions from corporations contrary to law surrendered at the district attorney's office today preparatory to giving bail.

## FORCE APPROVAL OF DIRECT PRIMARY LAW

Radicals Rule Republican New  
York State Conference and  
Force State-Wide Law

## BARNE'S MOTION DEFEATED

Motion to Re-affirm More Conservative  
Primary Plank in Last G. O. P. Platform  
Is Defeated by Vote of 192 to 197

## ALL CANDIDATES ON EQUAL FOOTING

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—The radicals ruled the Republican state conference this afternoon and forced the approval of a direct, state-wide primary law. State chairman William Barnes' motion to re-affirm the more conservative primary plank in the last Republican platform was defeated by a vote of 192 to 187.

The radicals led by Henry L. Stimson, former secretary of war split with Mr. Barnes and his followers over the question of retaining party conventions. The state chairman's proposition was that the action of congressmen members of conference favor the direct nomination of congressmen, members of the state legislature, county and municipal officers, but keep the state convention for the nomination of governor and the other officers on the state ticket. Delegates to this convention were to be chosen directly by the voters, who should have the right also to express direct preference for nominations for state officers if they so desired.

This did not suit Mr. Stimson and his friends and after a long debate they carried a small majority of the conferees with them. The resolution adopted declared that all candidates should stand on an equal footing. It opposed the use of party emblems on the general election ballot and the factional column on the primary ballots.

## Reiterates Hughes Doctrine

At the same time it expressed belief in party organization and reiterated the doctrine of former Governor Hughes that the direct primary should be an adjunct to and a check upon, rather than a substitute for the deliberation and conference of the party's representatives. The conference was called by the state committee to recommend legislation to the Republican members of the state assembly which was returned to Republican control in the last election. Nearly every Republican of importance in the state was present. United States Senator Root presided and Mr. Stimson, former attorney general George W. Wickersham, Job E. Hedges, defeated candidate for governor at the last state election, and Seth Low, former mayor of New York, took part in the discussions. Mr. Wickersham sided with Chairman Barnes in the primary reform debate.

## Meeting Works Rapidly

Until the primaries question was reached the meeting worked rapidly and harmoniously. It recommended the adoption of a vigorous compulsory workingmen's compensation law, reform of the rules of the assembly and the amendment of the state constitution to take all state offices, except those of governor and lieutenant governor, out of the electoral list and empower the governor to fill them by appointment. Recommendation was made also for reforming the state budget and placing the administration of the fiscal affairs of the state upon a scientific stable basis.

## Are Considered Binding

Since nearly all the Republican assemblymen-elect participated in the conference its recommendations were considered binding and were accepted as the program of the assembly majority at the next regular session. The direct nominations resolution which prevailed was presented by Judge William Wadhams of New York. Mr. Hedges tried to substitute a motion to leave the question in the hands of a committee of fifteen but finally withdrew his proposition.

## SOME TEAMSTERS TO RETURN TO WORK; NO GENERAL STRIKE

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 5.—There will be no general strike in Indianapolis at this time, and teamsters, whose employers have signed union contracts, will return to work tomorrow morning.

This course was decided upon late today at a meeting of the teamsters union which was addressed by Daniel J. Tobin, international president of the teamsters' organization.

## MRS. WILSON ENTERTAINS AT FIRST MUSICALS OF WINTER

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Mrs. Woodrow Wilson entertained several hundred guests tonight at the first musicals of the winter season in the east room of the white house. Owning to an attack of gripe the president was unable to attend. Mrs. Wilson received the guests in the green room and refreshments were served in the state dining room. The program was rendered by a tenor, a cellist and a harpist from New York City.

## TELLS OF FINDING DR. KNABE'S BODY

OFFICE GIRL FOR MURDERED WOMAN  
IS PLACED ON WITNESS STAND

Testifies as to Finding of Her Employer's Body, the Condition of  
the Flat and Dr. Knabe's Habits  
—Kimono Found in Possession  
of Undertaker is Shown Witness.

SHELBYVILLE, Ind., Dec. 5.—Miss Katherine McPherson, office girl for Dr. Helene Knabe, for whose murder Dr. William B. Craig now is on trial here, late today was placed on the witness stand by the state. The witness told of the finding of Dr. Knabe's body and the condition of the flat and her employer's habits.

The witness said that when she entered the room in which Dr. Knabe had met death, the window curtain was raised about one foot from the bottom of the window. The state insisted upon this testimony it was said on the theory that when Joseph Carr, a previous witness passed the house Dr. Knabe was being murdered.

No Light in Any of the Rooms.  
Carr on cross-examination today declared that when he passed the apartment house in which Dr. Knabe lived, he heard her screams but declared there was no light to be seen in any of the rooms. The state contends that the murderer had pulled down the curtain and was cutting Dr. Knabe's throat when Carr passed. Later, it is contended the slayer returned to the flat, raised the curtain and turned on the electric lights.

Dr. Knabe's kimono which the state attempted to get before the jury yesterday and which was found in possession of an Indianapolis undertaker, was shown to Miss McPherson. She testified that the last time she had seen the garment was on the Saturday before Dr. Knabe's death when it was hanging in a closet of the room where the doctor met her death.

"Then it was a pretty navy blue, with poppy flowers," the witness exclaimed, "and now it looks like a faded rag."

The state contends that the garment was washed with chemicals to take out blood-stains after it had been carried away from Dr. Knabe's office.

## FIANCEE OF CAR BANDIT WILL WED HIS BROTHER

Mamie Dunn Will Become Bride of  
Frank DeVine Early in January.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—Mamie Dunn, fiancée of Harvey Vandine, one of the three car barn bandits hanged here in 1904 is to be married early in January to Frank Vandine, brother of the man whom she accompanied on his walk to the gallows.

Miss Dunn had been engaged to Harvey Vandine before he was associated with the crowd of thieves who went with him to death. When he was arrested, charged with the others, with a total of eight murders she remained true to him and during the ten months of his stay in jail and during the trial spent part of each day at his side.

After he was hanged, she left Chicago to avoid further publicity, became a trained nurse and is now in North Dakota.

Frank Vandine since his brother's death has been the support of his mother who has devoted her time after the death of her other son, to the boy problem, helping wayward youths when the opportunity offered.

## Peter Niedemeyer and Gustav Marx were hanged with Vandine.

Emil Roeski is serving a life sentence in the Joliet penitentiary.

## BALLIN IS CHOSEN

Princeton, N. J., Dec. 5.—Harold Ray Ballin, Princeton's star right tackle on the 1913 team today was unanimously chosen captain of next year's eleven. Ballin is a junior and lives in New York city. He is the youngest captain Princeton ever had. He played tackle on his freshman eleven two years ago.

## WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—Illinois—Rain Saturday; Sunday colder and fair south, rain or snow and colder north portion, moderate variable winds mostly north over north portion and possibly becoming brisk.

Temperatures.  
The current, maximum and minimum temperatures for Friday were:

Jacksonville	46	52	41
Boston	46	52	42
Buffalo	44	46	40
New York	48	52	44
New Orleans	68	74	58
Chicago	45	46	36
Detroit	42	46	32
Omaha	44	46	34
St. Paul	36	38	34
Helena	29	32	14
San Francisco	52	57	44
Winnipeg	30	40	24

## Indiana Doctor Accused Of Murdering a Woman



The trial of Dr. William B. Craig, dean of the Indiana Veterinary college, on the charge of murdering Dr. Helene Knabe two years ago is now under way. Ephraim Inman, chief counsel for the prosecution, put an end to the report that the state would introduce several clairvoyants as witnesses. It has been said that the detectives who brought about Dr. Craig's indictment received their tip through clairvoyants at Indianapolis, but Inman said no such evidence is to be introduced. The first witnesses to be introduced by the state were prominent Indianapolis physicians, who testified regarding the death of Dr. Knabe and the exact nature of the wounds. Inman, who is employed by the Federated Women's Clubs of Indiana, made the opening statement for the prosecution. The trial has caused a distinct sensation in the middle west owing to the prominence of the central figures.

## BANDIT MAY HAVE OUTWITTED PURSUERS

SEARCHERS FAIL TO FIND LOPEZ IN  
UTAH-APEX MINE

Many Believe Mexican Desperado  
Has Discovered An Unknown Exit  
Through Which He Passed Into  
The Mountains—Further Search  
Will Be Made Today.

BINGHAM, Utah, Dec. 5.—The sheriffs of nine Utah counties, who have kept deadly smudges going at all the entrances to the Utah-Apex mine since Monday, in the hope of destroying Ralph Lopez, the desperado, may have been outwitted by the witty Mexican. This was the belief of the posse that penetrated the workings of the mine today after the deadly gases had been permitted to escape.

The posse came out tonight after having gone thoroughly over all of the ground where it was expected the bandit's body would be found and informed the waiting thousands of expectant miners that Lopez had not been found. He has disappeared as mysteriously as though he had been dissolved by the gases and floated away with the smoke.

Heavy guards were posted at all the entrances to the mine and further search will be made tomorrow. Odds of three to one are being offered that Lopez will not be discovered in the mine.

It is believed that he has discovered an unknown exit through which he has passed into the mountains. The search for the desperado began November 21, after he had killed a miner because a woman Lopez loved showed him favor. A police officer who sought to take him into custody was shot dead. Subsequently four other deputy sheriffs were killed by the bandit while they were endeavoring to take him. Lopez has fired just seven shots since he began his career of crime.

## CHAMPAIGN TEAM WINS

Decatur, Ill., Dec. 5.—Champaign high school won high honors in the triangular high school debate, Champaign, Decatur and Bloomington competing. Both of Champaign's teams won. Decatur won at home from the Bloomington negative team and the Decatur negative team lost at Champaign.

## TUB' KEELER ELECTED

Madison, Wis., Dec. 5.—Raymond (Tub) Keeler of Lacrosse was elected captain of the University of Wisconsin football team for the 1914 season.

## DEFEATS BLOOMINGTON

Bloomington, Dec. 5.—The debating team from the Champaign high school tonight defeated the Bloomington high school team, two to one.

## CENTRAL COLORADO SNOW STORM ENDS

OVER 45 INCHES OF SNOW FALLS  
DURING THE STORM

Denver People Face Severe Hardship in the Extreme Shortage of Coal—Rotary Plows Able to Make Little Progress in Clearing the Tracks.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 5.—At 8 o'clock tonight the severe storm which had completely tied up all forms of business in Denver and central Colorado ended, according to the weather bureau here and clear colder weather was forecast for the remainder of the night and tomorrow. The total amount of snow fall during the storm was given, officially at 45.5 inches or 2.52 precipitation. Reports to the government weather bureau show that it is still snowing in southern Colorado, raining in eastern Colorado, Nebraska, Iowa and Missouri.

One of the gravest hardships accompanying the storm was the extreme shortage of coal which became evident today. One of the largest hostilities in Denver was forced to close today. Office buildings have exhausted their supply of fuel and also were forced to close. Other hotels housing hundreds of marooned tradespeople fear they will be unable to obtain coal tomorrow.

Railroad traffic to and from Denver remained at a standstill tonight. The blockades on tracks are at points within a radius of one hundred miles of Denver.

Powerful rotary plows have been able to make little progress. At Cripple Creek all business was suspended. The passenger train which left Cripple Creek over the Colorado Springs and Cripple Creek "Short Line" was snow bound at Summit, one of the highest mountain points in the state.

## HERRMANN DECLINES OFFER MADE FOR TINKER AND GROH

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 5.—Officials of the Philadelphia National league baseball today received a telegram from president Garry Herrmann of the Cincinnati club declining their offer to trade Dolan and Knabe for Tinker and Groh.

President Barker of the Philadelphia club said tonight that he did not take Mr. Herrmann's message as a refusal to make a trade.

## MAY NOT SERVE SENTENCE

Chicago, Dec. 5.—Joshua Tedford, superintendent of a department store to be sent to the penitentiary to serve a five years term for which he was sentenced while a policeman seven years ago, according to Maclay state's attorney today.

## FLOOD REFUGEES IN IMMINENT PERIL

Thousands Are Marooned and  
Suffering from Prolonged Hunger  
and Cold in Texas

## MOTOR BOATS RESCUE MANY

Motor Boats from Houston Are Busy Rescuing  
Persons from Trees and Housetops  
—Hundreds Are Brought to High Ground

## PLANTERS REFUSE RESCUE OFFER

BRYAN, Texas, Dec. 5.—A death roll of more than fifty persons, with scores of flood refugees spending tonight in imminent peril and possibly a thousand others marooned and suffering from prolonged hunger and cold, was indicated by tonight's reports from the flooded Brazos river bottoms in this section of south and central Texas. For over fifty miles the Brazos was three to five miles wide and running with mill race speed.

Courier's reports indicated that the property loss would total four or five million dollars when losses along the Brazos are added to the already heavy damage in other portions of the state.

Henry Martin, vice-president and general manager of the Inland & Great Northern railroad was drowned at Valley Junction, near here late tonight, while attempting to rescue marooned flood victims. His body had not been recovered tonight. Six members of the life saving crew stationed at Galveston and a train load of motor boats from Houston which started for Bryan late today, were stopped by high water at Navasota. The boats were launched at that point shortly before dark and started upstream to rescue persons reported clinging to trees and house-tops.

Motor Boats are Busy.  
Bryan had twenty motor boats out all day, which brought to high ground several hundred persons.

Prominent planters in the bottoms have refused offers of rescue, sending out their wives and children to Bryan but themselves remaining behind the water, tearing down portions of the buildings to improvise platforms for their stock. Anxiety is felt for the safety of several of these planters.

San Antonio today reported its first flood death when John Sonsho, a farmer was drowned in the Leon river.

Reports from the Colorado river were meager. Elsewhere throughout Texas, immediate danger seemed past though Waco faced a serious cleaning up problem. Hundreds of convicts on the state farms south of Houston tonight were being moved to high land. Heavy losses of cut sugar cane on these farms was expected from the overflow which probably will be in its height in that section about Sunday. One drowning was reported tonight at Bastrop, a south Texas town.

## PEORIA VOLLEY BALL TEAM WINNER FROM LOCAL "Y"

Visitors Annex Three Out of Four  
of the Games Played—Jacksonville  
Will Play Return Game.

The Peoria Volley Ball team defeated the local "Y" team last night three games out of four played. Jacksonville won the first game 21 to 19 and the last three games which went to the visitors were 21 to 8; 21 to 18; 21 to 6. Peoria plays the "off the net" style and the local men have been used to playing according to the general rules of "hit net stopped," which accounts for the loss of the latter games. Spike of Peoria acted as referee. A return game will be played later in the season.

The lineup of Jacksonville: Hoffmann and Jenkinson, backfield; Belatti, Center; Ayers and Osborne, ends.

Peoria: Powers and Clark, backline; Hazzard, center; Wilson and Morgan, ends.

APPLIES FOR MANAGERSHIP.  
Cincinnati, O., Dec. 5.—Richard Hoblitzel, first baseman of the Cincinnati baseball team today made a formal application for the managership of the club.

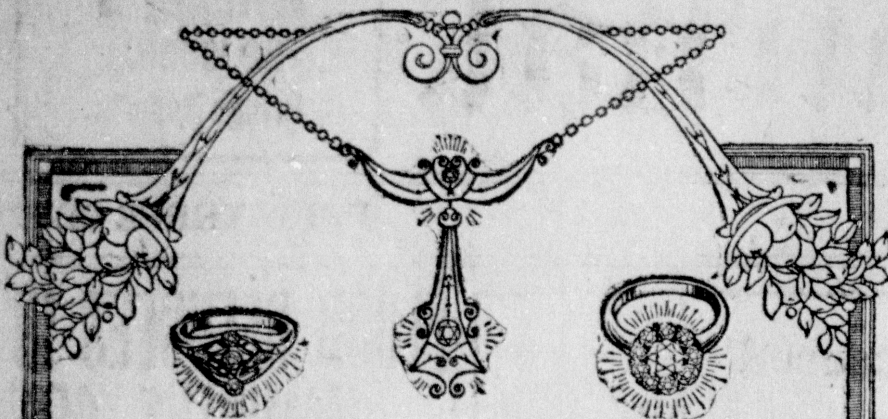
## SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 5.—Forty-six lives were lost today by the foundering of the Swedish Steamer Malmberget off Bodo, Norway. The steamer left Narvik, Norway, Nov. 27th, for Rotterdam. The Malmberget was of 3,903 tons.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 5.—Lieut. Col. David Dubois Gallard, U. S. A., who directed the engineering work in the Culebra cut division of the Panama canal died at John Hopkins hospital here today.

EXETER, England, Dec. 5.—Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the suffrage leader, is said today to be in a state of collapse having started both a hunger and thirst strike since her arrest on board the Majestic yesterday.






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### Dishes With Your Initial

Is the prevailing rage. These dishes are something out of the ordinary and are worth three times what they cost. They are a plain white dish with gold band and any initial you may want, in gold letters. They are obtainable with coupons from "White Lily", "Hercules" and "Cream" Flour. Call in and see these dishes.



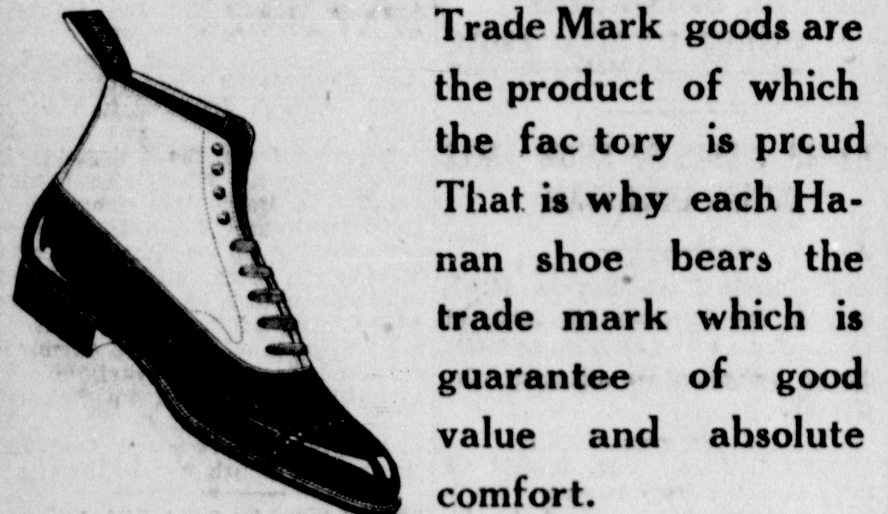
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### GAVE PIANO RECITAL

Pupils of Miss Myrtle Sheppard Gave Pleasing Program—Miss Eula Priest, Reader, Assists.

A piano recital was given by the pupils of Miss Myrtle Sheppard Friday night in the piano room of Chas. A. Sheppard on East State street. A Hamilton piano loaned by Mr. Sheppard was used and Miss Priest, reader, assisted in the program. The pupils did remarkably well showing not only their painstaking efforts but also the ability of their instructor. In every way the program was meritorious and interesting. The program:

Ding, Dong, Bell, Spaulding  
Helen Richardson  
Good Night Song  
Little Dance  
Waltz  
Ethel Cornick  
The Chase, Ehman  
Choral, Schumann  
Merry Go Round, Goederer  
Louise Sheppard  
Air from "Der Freischutz", Weber  
Francoise  
Santa Claus Guards, Krogmann  
Lester Cornick  
Chase of the Butterflies, Denoe  
March of the Recruits, Schmoll  
Clara Smith  
Buzzing Bumble Bee, Spaulding  
Distant Bells, Streabhog  
Lee Addison  
Berceuse from "Jocelyn", (four hands), Godard  
Martha Priest and Virginia Whitlock  
Reading  
Eula Priest  
Woodland Whispers, Braungard  
Martha Priest  
Chant d'Amour, Englemann  
Virginia Whitlock  
Idilio, Lack  
Dorothy Smith  
Humoreske (four hands), Dvorak  
Primo, Lois Hayden  
Under the Leaves, Thome  
Eula Priest  
Melody, Op. 266, Bohm  
Lois Hayden  
Narcissus, Nevin  
Lottie Peak

Home made chocolate pepermint at Muller and Hamilton's.

### TO THE PUBLIC.

The Trustees of Passavant Hospital Express Their Views.

The following are the sentiments of the gathering at Peacock Inn Thursday as expressed by the committee for the purpose:

The Public may have a more general understanding of the Tag Day Fund for which money is to be solicited on Hospital Tag Day, Saturday, December 13th, the trustees of Passavant Memorial Hospital desire to make the following statement:

The money for the Tag Day Fund or Free Bed Fund, as it is known to the hospital, is obtained only from the voluntary contributions of citizens made to the workers on Tag Day. This money is held entirely separate from the regular hospital fund and used only in special cases, which is explained in detail below, and is not usable under any circumstances, as a general expense fund of the hospital.

This Free Bed Fund is used to provide hospital service to worthy patrons needing same, who, ordinarily self-supporting, may, by reason of sickness, be deprived of their source of income and therefore be unable to pay for necessary hospital services. It is only in such cases as these that the Tag Day Fund is used. Any worthy person needing hospital services, when recommended by a physician and vouched for by a regular church pastor, is eligible to benefit from this Free Bed Fund. In such cases the patient is admitted to the hospital for one-half what it actually costs the hospital to attend to the case and the money to pay this small charge made by the hospital is obtained or taken from this Tag Day Fund. The physicians in all cases of this kind furnish their services free as well as the necessary medicines.

By this means many worthy people are assisted at a critical time, when most in need and least able to secure help. For this reason the people of Jacksonville and the surrounding community should take a vital interest in Hospital Tag Day.

The near approach of the season of gifts and remembrances "In Christ's Name" prompts us all to acts of brotherly kindness and helpfulness. We all want to be "good fellows." The trustees of Passavant Memorial Hospital earnestly beg that all join heartily in the Tag Day Fund under the leadership of Chairman Carl H. Weber; that all churches, committees, collectors, givers and boosters join in making this a happy, successful, good-fellows day. Surely no better cause for your donations could be found.

A. T. CAPPS.  
C. A. JOHNSON.  
A. B. WILLIAMSON.  
Committee.

### SPECIAL FOR TODAY

### MINCE PIE

### IDEAL BAKERY, E. STATE ST.

### RIDGELY ENCAMPMENT NO. 9.

At a regular meeting of Ridgely Encampment No. 9, I. O. O. F. last night at the lodge room on West State street, officers were nominated for the ensuing term, two members were given the degree of Patriarch and it was voted to aid the Passavant hospital tag day fund. The officers nominated last evening will be voted upon at the next meeting, Friday, Dec. 19. The degree staff, which of late has been thoroughly reorganized and drilled conferred the degree of Patriarch on Dr. William P. Duncan and William E. Thomson.

A communication was read from Carl Weber, chairman of the Tag Day committee and the Encampment voted ten dollars from its treasury toward the fund carrying out the Odd Fellow maxim, "Faith, Hope and Charity—but the greatest of these is charity."

### RAILROAD NOTES.

James Mann, division freight agent of the Alton and with headquarters at Springfield visited the local force yesterday.

A big steam threshing outfit was unloaded yesterday at the Alton yards.

William Kastrup, father of Dwight Kastrup, first truck operator at the Burlington, went to Waverly yesterday.

A. E. Peterson, C. P. & St. L. agent writes that he and Mrs. Peterson are enjoying a visit now in Jacksonville, Florida.

Conductor Ray Haigh, has been transferred from the local freight run to the main line of the C. P. & St. L. road.

Mr. Condon has been appointed conductor of the local C. P. & St. L. freight.

Engine 340 came up yesterday to take out train No. 15 on the Chicago & Alton.

The Santa Fe line has an impressive train made up of extremes. Mallet monster engine is coupled with a little, old fashioned wood burner; an old time passenger car is next to a modern Pullman; a diminutive freight car is attached to a huge ironclad burden bearer; a little ton coal flat is hitched to a modern fifty ton coal puller and so on and the sight is indeed instructive.

### At the Car Shops.

The tender of No. 2 switch engine and beautified till it looks as fine as any new affair ever sent out.

The tender of No. 12 switch engine is ready for the rest of the machine and looks fine in its new dress.

No. 58 will have as fine a tender as comes to town when it is ready for the rails.

The tenders of 30, 54 and 61 are waiting their turn to be overhauled and beautified.

Numbers 26 and 61 are the only engines now in the round house and they will be moved on over to the machine shop in due time.

Thomas E. Tobin, James Handley, J. S. Hall and E. M. Keyser have all been employed in the boiler shop.

Charles Keller and John Thompson have been employed in the machine shop.

New No. 68 was exercised to Virginia and behaved all right. She is again in the machine shops for some minor alterations and changes. She will be on regular duty in a short time.

Forty-one electric headlights have been received at the shops and will be put in place on the locomotives as fast as possible.

### PARKER'S PENS.

Parker's new non-leakable fountain pens. Bargain Book store.

### FISKE O'HARA.



At the Grand Opera House, Friday, December 12, Fiske O'Hara will be seen in his wonderfully successful play, "In Old Dublin", a romance of the halcyon days in Ireland when the dashing, madcap crowd of young Irish noblemen kept things moving in the Green Isle at a rapid gait. The play is a product of the pen of Augustus Pitou, who has written more successes in this line than any other author. The role he has created for Fiske O'Hara gives that popular young star an excellent opportunity for displaying his many and varied talents and as the romantic roles are those which appeal to his taste and fancy more than any others, he finds in that of Neil Powers, the young marine architect, one to which he can do full justice. His songs, as usual, are a delightful feature of the performance and they are sung as only one man can sing them and that is Fiske O'Hara. Manager Pitou has surrounded his star with a company that is thoroughly suited to the various characters both by training and personality and there is a wealth of handsome scenery and costumes.

### REMARKABLE SPECIAL SALE

### TODAY OF COATS, SUITS, FURS AND MILLINERY AT HERMAN'S.

### SHIPPED CAR OF HOGS.

George Thompson of South East street recently shipped a car of hogs to the Chicago market. They were in fine condition and brought a good figure.

What is better for Xmas presents than a nice rug, 227 E. State Street.

### DIVORCE GRANTED.

In the circuit court Friday Judge Thompson granted a divorce to Mrs. Anna Robinson from her husband, Albert Robinson and gave her the custody of the children.

### FOOTBALL BANQUET OF ILLINOIS ATHLETES

Enthusiastic Gathering Around Festive Board at Colonial Inn—Fine List of Toasts Given.

The annual football banquet of Illinois college was held last night at Colonial Inn and it was one of the most enthusiastic gatherings of its kind ever held in connection with the institution. Provisions had only been made for the accommodation of one hundred men at the Inn, and the other twenty-five went to the Peacock Inn, and returned to hear the speeches later in the evening. Part of the program consisted of the presentation of the sweaters to the football men by President C. H. Rammelkamp. The sweaters were the gift of Andrew Russell and the players receiving them were R. Russell, J. Frisbie, J. Mitchell, H. McLaughlin, P. Darragh, W. Pierce, H. Wilson, W. Spruit, F. Stewart, C. Atchison, C. Lukeman, H. Maxey, R. Gary, J. Karch, E. Alford (Capt.), V. Jensen, Manager; W. T. Harmon, coach.

An unusually splendid banquet was served and after the meal was finished, Manager Jensen introduced H. H. Bancroft as toastmaster of the evening, and he filled the position in a very capable manner. Before each man spoke the students sang "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." There is only one man on the team who graduates this year, Robbins Russell and he was given the honor of being the last speaker at the banquet. Among the visitors present, were Schneider, Potter, Helme and Addison of Springfield and Allen of Alton. Much of the success of the football season has been due to the untiring efforts of Manager Jensen. Words of praise were heard by every speaker, for the excellent work of the team and the outlook for the squad next year is the brightest in the history of Old Illinois. Coach Harmon was given a great ovation when he was called to speak, attested the popularity of the leader of the eleven on the Hill.

The following is a list of the toasts:

Our New Gymnasium—Andrew Russell.

A Little Plus More Equals Much—Prof. P. Whistler.

A Center's Backward Glance—T. H. Buckthorpe.

The Benefit of the Doubt—Hugh Green.

Presentation of Sweaters—Dr. C. H. Rammelkamp.

Alumni Associations—A. T. Capps.

College Life—Dr. F. S. Hayden.

Sportsmanship in Athletics—Rev. H. French.

Team of 1913—Capt. E. Alford.

Past, Present and Future—Coach Harmon.

Valedictory Address—Robbins Russell.

Rug Bargains, 227 E. State St.

### SOCIAL EVENTS.

One of the most delightful events of the early winter season was the forty-fifth annual meeting of Sorosis, which was held Friday night at the home of Mrs. W. H. H. King. The house was beautifully decorated with flowers, many of them sent by Mrs. W. D. Sanders. After the splendid dinner Miss Neville, president of Sorosis gave a most cordial welcome to all and her address was a most felicitous one. The secretary's report was given by Mrs. Louise Ingles, after which the following program was given:

"Le Tasse".....Gonard  
Mrs. Genevieve Clark Wilson  
Reading, "A Modern Cinderella"  
Miss Parsons  
"The Lovely Dance".....Ware  
Pierrot.....Johnson  
"Ecstasy".....Rummel Parke  
"The March Wind"  
Mrs. Genevieve Clark Wilson  
"Chums".....Walton  
"The Little Grey Lamb".....Lullen  
"Just Laffin".....Riley  
Miss Parsons

Among the guests from out of the city were Mrs. Helen Kirby Dwight of New York City, Mrs. Edward Carter of Evanston, and Mrs. R. O. Stoops of Joliet.

### VIOLETS IN DECEMBER.

Mrs. Clarence Reid, who resides on Lafayette avenue was surprised when her little son Albert came into the house yesterday with some beautiful violets which he had picked in the yard and said he was going to take them to his teacher. It is unusual for the flower to be found at this time of the year.

Mrs. Clyde Singley entertained the Friday Sewing Club at her home on East State street Friday afternoon in honor of Mrs. M. R. Gates of Bloomington. The house was prettily decorated in Christmas colors and after a very pleasant time a two course luncheon was served.

Fresh salted nuts of all kinds at Muller and Hamilton's.

### RUB RHEUMATIC PAIN, SORENESS, STIFFNESS AWAY

Rub Pain Right Out of Aching Joints With a Small Trial Bottle of Old St. Jacobs Oil.

What's Rheumatism? Pain only. Stop drugging! Not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil" directly upon the "tender spot" and relief comes instantly. "St. Jacobs Oil" is a harmless rheumatism cure which cannot burn the skin.

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### DROSTE'S COCOA

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### 10c and 35c Cans



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Country Dressed Chickens. All the fruits and vegetables the markets afford.

A 15 row dark or white bristle, oval back oak and ebony finish, hair brush, 75c value at 25c.

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### New Christmas Money

### SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

Interest allowed on Savings Deposits at rate of 3 per cent per annum.

Savings Deposits received on or before DECEMBER 10th will bear interest from the FIRST of the month.

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Well tell us, here is another feature you read about but not in the back part of the book, where the leaves are torn out, but right on the front page. There is no moss on this picture. A great feature in two parts.

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A leap through space to the top of a speeding runaway freight car, and the averting of a terrible collision are tense situations in this great feature.

MRS. UPTON'S DEVICE—Vitagraph—Comedy featuring Carlotta De Felice.

HE FELL IN LOVE WITH HIS MOTHER-IN-LAW—Vitagraph—Comedy, featuring Norma Talmadge and Rose Tapley.

SIGHTS IN SINGAPORE—Vitagraph travelogue.

THE TOILS OF DECEPTION—Selig—Drama.

### Admission 5c and 10c.

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## CITY AND COUNTY

Wesley Knox of Tallula was in the city yesterday.

H. H. Wells of Pisgah paid the city a visit yesterday.

J. E. Roe of Concord was calling on city friends yesterday.

Ira Boyce is very ill at his home on West Lafayette avenue.

Willard Young of Litchberry made the city a visit yesterday.

Wait for the Big Bankrupt Sale of Rugs commencing Saturday, 227 E. State street.

Mrs. John Hunter of Sinclair was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Woods of Pisgah was in the city Friday shopping.

Mrs. E. E. Mason of Alexander was a shopper in the city yesterday.

Miss Edith Paulk of Beardstown was a visitor in the city Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansmeyer of Joy Prairie visited the city yesterday.

Wait for the Big Bankrupt Sale of Rugs commencing Saturday, 227 E. State street.

Mrs. Myrtle Sallee has returned from a visit with friends in Mexico.

Miss Lou Duncan of Franklin was shopping yesterday in Jacksonville.

Robert Morrison of Concord was in the city yesterday transacting business.

Benjamin Wright of Franklin was among the Friday visitors in the city.

Mrs. M. B. Keplinger of Franklin was a visitor in Jacksonville Friday.

Barry Heaton of Lynnville was in the city Friday attending to business.

Samuel Zachary of Pisgah was a business caller in the city Friday.

Robert Scott of Markham was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jewsbury of Markham were city callers yesterday.

Mrs. Sallie Wyatt was among the Franklin shoppers in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Wm. and Mrs. J. M. Root were visitors in the city from Virden.

T. M. Miller of Decatur was in the city Friday transacting business.

Fred Meyer of Chapin was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Miss Mamie Meyer was among the visitors in the city yesterday from Chapin.

Fancy Grimes Golden apples at Weber's, East State.

Frank Masters of Lynnville was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Richard Green of Sinclair was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Miss Goff of Prentice is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bert Hall, north of the city.

The Pisgah Presbyterian church will give their annual bazaar and oyster supper at the home of Mrs. Catherine Magill, December 11.

Miss Maud Weeks of Arenzville paid the city a shopping visit yesterday.

Louis Bishop of Roodhouse was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Read Cody's special grocery advertisement. Page four.

Miss Lola Smith of Murrayville was among the Friday shoppers in the city.

Mrs. Helena Monover of Ashland was among the shoppers in the city Friday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Link Cowdin of Concord were trading in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beerup were Jacksonville visitors yesterday from Franklin.

Samuel Chailner of Joy Prairie was a Friday business caller in Jacksonville.

Fancy Jonathan apples.—Weber's.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Eador of Concord were among the city visitors yesterday.

Mrs. Joseph Rook and daughter of Woodson were Friday visitors in the city.

James E. Rawlings of Nortonville was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Wm. Headen, Mr. and Mrs. John Boddy were visitors yesterday from Markham.

Read Cody's special grocery advertisement. Page four.

F. W. Twiford of the southwest part of the county was in the city yesterday.

B. F. Hurst and C. E. Newman were residents of Springfield in the city yesterday.

Clyde McAllister and Henry Deppe were callers in the city yesterday from Meredosia.

J. W. Gray of Ohio was visiting yesterday with his friend, J. O. Vosseller of this city.

Lloyd F. Howe of Granite City is visiting with friends in the city till after Sunday.

Our dill pickles can't be beat.—Weber's, East State.

William Freitag of Winchester was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ranson of Lynnville were among the Friday visitors in the city.

Mrs. R. S. Wooster and Mrs. Roodhouse were both city visitors yesterday from White Hall.

Mrs. William Rhea of Beardstown is visiting her friend, Mrs. W. F. Hochseler of this city.

Mrs. Charles Middleton and daughter were city visitors Friday from the Point neighborhood.

25 pounds sugar 97 cents with \$1 order. W. D. Cody. Read advertisement page four.

Mrs. Amanda Redding went to Manchester yesterday to visit the family of William Fanning.

W. C. Mason of Grace Chapel neighborhood was transacting business in the city yesterday.

W. R. Dunlap of West College street has gone to Paris, Mo., to look after farming interests.

Mrs. George Ball and daughter Miss Lucy, left Friday for a visit with relatives in Farmersville, Ill.

Fresh bulk oysters.—Webers.

Miss Ida Tatman of Carrollton is visiting her mother, Mrs. Anna Tatman of East College street.

Mrs. Hattie Smith and son, J. H. Does and Wm. Clegg were visitors in the city yesterday from Woodson.

Miss Margaret Kendrick has returned to her home in Springfield after a visit with friends in Jacksonville.

Jefferson Wilson of Chandler-ville was in the city Friday to see his wife who is a patient at Passavant hospital.

Try our sauer kraut.—Weber's grocery, East State.

Mrs. T. N. Parker, son, James Winter and daughter Emma, all went to Manchester yesterday for a visit with the family of John Robinson.

Mrs. J. J. Murphy, who has been a guest for the last few days of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Quigley of East North street, returned yesterday to her home in Springfield.



**Notice:** With each 50c purchase of Handkerchiefs we will give free a beautiful Christmas box—and during this week only we will give a genuine hand-made Austrian Lace Handkerchief with each \$2 purchase of handkerchiefs

WILL INCREASE COAL RATES  
INTO JACKSONVILLE

New Tariffs Effective January First Show That Freight Is Five Cents Higher From Springfield and Cartersville Districts—Charges of Ten Years Ago Have Been Doubled.

Local coal dealers have received the glad intelligence that on the first of January there will be a general increase in the coal freight rates into Jacksonville. The coal freight rate from Springfield and from mines in the Springfield district and sub-district which includes Williams-ville, Petersburg, Greenville, Tice, Thayer, and a number of other points is 54c a ton. The rate from the southern Illinois district, that territory which includes the mines, producing so-called Cartersville and Franklin county coal is eighty cents. Effective the first of January the rate from Springfield will be 59c and the rate from the southern field will be 85c.

The time was when coal was hauled into Jacksonville from Springfield mines and others at 25c per ton. That was in the days when there was strong competition between railroads as to which one would get the bulk of the Jacksonville business including the coal supply for the state institutions. In fact the state institutions furnished the bone for contention. These institutions burn about 25,000 tons of coal annually. The established coal rate at the time of cutting and slashing referred to was 40c a ton, which based on the average haul from Springfield into Jacksonville is about what the rate should be. So as a result of the cutting process as usually happens the railroads got together and agreed among themselves to divide up the business of the state institutions and to increase the rate to a figure where they would all make money. In pursuance of this policy the general coal rate was advanced to 60c but for the institutions when bids were asked the railroads designated one to secure each particular contract and a rate of 50c per ton would be made by such road, while the other roads were quoting the 60c rate. The margin of 10c in the freight rate made it absolutely certain that some time on the line quoting the 50c rate would secure the business.

The plan was splendidly devised from the railroad point of view, but the time came when such combinations were illegal and dangerous and so the railroads dissolved partnership and made as a general coal rate into Jacksonville 54c, a figure at which it has remained from that day until the present. Now as indicated above the tariffs issued by the several companies effective January 1st, show that a further increase will be made. Until early in the present year the rate on coal from the Cartersville and Franklin county district was 70c. At that time the Burlington road was getting such an increasing per cent of the Jacksonville tonnage because of the superiority of coal from the Cartersville and Franklin county territories, that the freight increase was brought about by the mines in the Springfield district which were losing a good deal of tonnage in Jacksonville and by the railroads which were also losing that business. The intended effect of that increase was to cut down the tonnage of the Burlington and to increase the tonnage of the Springfield mines and of the railroads which haul coal from the Springfield district into Jacksonville. Now that the rate from Springfield is to be increased 5c it naturally follows that the same increase is due from the southern field in order to preserve the equilibrium of prices which some of the mines and some of the railroads evidently desire. Meanwhile the people must pay the bills.

## A FINE DISPLAY.

Myers Brothers have arranged with their usual fine taste a lot of handsome holiday goods which are certainly more than ordinarily attractive. All sorts of things to be found in such a place for the holidays are shown and much admired by every one.

## DECEMBER OFFERS

## Our Annual Christmas Handkerchief Exhibition

Novelties come and novelties go, but the one best gift at Christmas time will ever remain the handkerchief. In recognition of this fact we devote this week to a special exhibition of Christmas Handkerchiefs. You will indeed have cause to marvel at the extensive and varied assortment we have to show you—from the exquisite hand embroidered creation down to the most inexpensive kind. Don't fail to visit our store this week.

Ladies' All Linen Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs at 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.  
Ladies' All Linen Machine Embroidered Handkerchiefs, at 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.  
Ladies' All Linen Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 6 in box, \$2.00.  
Ladies' All Linen Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 6 in box, for \$1.39.  
Ladies' All Linen Handkerchiefs with colored borders, each 25c.  
Ladies' All Linen Handkerchiefs with embroidered corner, each 25c.  
Ladies' All Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, 6 in box, for 75c.  
Ladies' Irish Lawn Handkerchiefs, 4 in box, for 19c.  
Ladies' Cotton Handkerchiefs, with embroidered corner, 3 in box, at 25c.  
Special—Ladies' 50c Lace Edge Handkerchiefs, each, this week 35c.  
Men's All Linen Handkerchiefs, with initial in corner, 15c, or 2 for 25c.  
Men's All Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, each 25c.

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Quality Foods at the  
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Malaga Grapes	Home made Brown Bread
Casata Melon	Pudding
Fresh Tomatoes	Cakes
Cauliflower	Doughnuts
Fresh Onions	Rolls

Dressed Ducks, Dressed Turkeys,  
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Without good red blood a man has a weak heart and poor nerves. Thinness of the blood, or anemia, is common in young folks as well as old. Especially is it the case with those who work in fly ventilated factories—or those who are shut up indoors in winter time with a coal stove burning up the oxygen or emitting carbonic (oxide) gas. This blood, or blood which lacks the red blood corpuscles, in anemic people may have been caused by lack of good fresh air breathed into lungs, or by poor digestion or dyspepsia. Sometimes people suffer intense pain over the heart which is not heart disease at all, but caused by indigestion. Whatever the cause, there's just one remedy that you can turn to—knowing that it has given satisfaction for over 40 years.

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is a blood cleanser and alterative that starts the liver and stomach into vigorous action. It thus assists the body to manufacture rich red blood which feeds the heart—nerves—brain and organs of the body. The organs work smoothly like machinery running in oil. You feel clean, strong and strenuous instead of tired, weak and faint. Nowadays you can obtain Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery Tablets, as well as the liquid form from all medicine dealers, or tablets by mail, prepaid in \$1 or 50c size. Address R. V. Pierce, M. D., Buffalo, N. Y.

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A thrilling civil war love story. Essanay

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Kalem 2-reel feature

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Lubin comedy.

Also Another Good Comedy Reel.

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Friday, Dec. 12

Angustus Pitou,

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Actor

FISKE O'HARA

In the Beautiful Comedy Romance,

In Old Dublin

By Angustus Pitou.

Author of "Sweet Inniscarra," "Garret O'Maugh," and "Old Limerick Town," etc., etc.

An Excellent Acting Company.

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A Production of Unusual Merit.

HEAR O'HARA'S NEW SONGS:—

"Peggy Gilroy," "Oh, Bay of Dublin," "Love at Last," "Rose, Rose, Rose," and "The Minstrel Boy."

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## FOR THIS WEEK

Kraut, per gallon .....25c  
 Bulk Macaroni, per lb. ....05c  
 1 lb. package Seeded Raisins...10c  
 1 lb. pk. Cleaned Currants, 2 for 25c  
 12 oz. pk. Cleaned Currants, 3 for 25c  
 Fancy Large Prunes, 2 lbs. ....25c  
 Cranberries, per qt. 10c, gallon .35c  
 3 lb. can Grated Pineapple, 10c,  
 3 for .....25c  
 3 Fat Norway Mackerel, new...25c  
 Qt. jar Dill or Sour Pickles....10c  
 Grimes Golden Apples, per pk. ....50c  
 Sweet Florida Oranges, doz. ....25c  
 1 lb. New Imperial Tea.....30c

Try our Minnesota, Burbank or Early Ohio Potatoes. They are fine.

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### Bring Them In

If it has been a year or more since your fire extinguisher was filled it is needing fresh chemicals. If brought to our office, we charge nothing for reloading any tip over extinguisher sold by us—and only a very small price for others. It is dangerous to neglect the matter.

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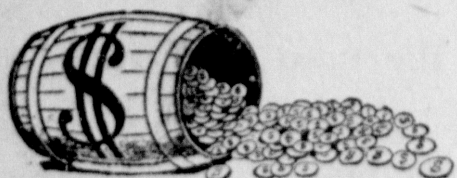
This offer is a special inducement to have you try us for a trial order. Every item listed is staple and can be used by the average family every day in the year.

	My Price	Retail Price
25 lbs. Eastern Cane Granulated Sugar	97c	\$1.35
1-2 gal. bucket White Cane Syrup	25c	30c
4-oz. bottle pure Vanilla or Lemon Extract	25c	50c
8 bars White Laundry Soap	25c	40c
1-lb can World's Beater Baking Powder	25c	25c

\$1.97 \$2.80

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## LIGHT PROPOSITION FROM ALL VIEW POINTS

### FREE DISCUSSION AT OPEN MEETING OF THE CIVIC LEAGUE.

Citizens Present Arguments For and Against Retaining Control of the Municipal Electric Plant—Local Company Willing to Lower Rates If Given Street Lighting Contract.

Under the auspices of the Civic League, an organization of women voters an open meeting was held last night at the court house which was well attended. The purpose was for a free discussion of the light bond proposition and views on both sides were presented. Mrs. J. H. Danskin, chairman of the Civic League presided.

The several speakers were allotted a specific amount of time and then opportunity was given for asking and answering questions. Dr. Howe, J. F. Brennan and H. J. Rodgers spoke in support of the bond proposition. W. B. Miser and William Newman in favor of buying light and power from the Jacksonville Railway & Light Company. Others who took some part in the discussion were Jerry Cox, William N. Hargrove, Mrs. E. P. Cleary, Norman Kykendall, C. B. Craff and DeMotte Gates.

Dr. Howe presented comparative tables of figures relative to operation costs of the municipal plant and the costs based on the Light Company's proposals. Mr. Miser addressed himself to the task of proving the saving which the company's offer would effect and read a proposed contract offering to light the streets for \$12,000, power for the wells on the present figures and to reduce lighting rates, if given the street contract, to 10 cents net for residences and 8 cents and less for business houses. Mr. Rodgers' argument was based mainly on the advantage of keeping the plant as a matter of protection from high rates.

Mr. Brennan suggested Committee. Mr. Brennan laid stress on the fact that the light company is using every possible effort to get the city to enter into a contract for street lighting because by the signing of that contract the city could not again engage in municipal lighting without securing authority from the Utility Commission and buying any equipment the local light company had installed for the street lighting work. Mr. Brennan asserted that the municipal light plant had in eighteen years saved the people of Jacksonville many thousands of dollars. He said that he would not present figures at this meeting but suggested that a committee of five citizens be appointed to go over the city's accounts and that if this committee was not convinced that his statement was true that the plant had saved a huge sum to the citizens that then he would be in favor of buying power.

Thinks Proposed Contract Liberal. Mr. Newman expressed the belief that the light company's proposition deserved prompt acceptance and said that he had been surprised that the company would offer street lights for \$12,000, free at Nichols park, power pumping at the rate now charged, residence light rates at ten cents net and commercial light at eight cents and less. He also spoke in favor of franchises on which the company will pay three per cent on gross income. Dr. Howe, Mr. Miser and Mr. Rodgers spoke largely from manuscripts and their remarks are printed elsewhere in this issue. Mr. Brennan spoke only in an informal way and no summary of his remarks will be attempted. Mr. Newman's opening statement was as follows:

Franchises and Contracts. "The Jacksonville Railway & Light company is interested in getting a street light contract. It is also interested in getting new franchises. These must be kept separate. The company cannot embody franchise provisions in a street lighting contract. They must be separate documents and must be acted on separately.

"But the advantages of one may be considered as part of the advantages of the other.

"The company has agreed to do the street lighting for \$12,000 a year, and when a street lighting contract is made it agrees to reduce residence rates from 12 1/2 to 10 cents and to reduce other rates in proportion.

"The company also agrees that as soon as franchises are granted it will accept conditions of those franchises that the city shall receive three per cent of the company's gross earnings as payment for the franchises. "Owing down the bond issue means getting our street lighting for about \$3,000 a year."

Altogether it was a very profitable meeting and no doubt resulted in a clearer understanding of the situation.

SEE XMAS DISPLAY. In Mrs. Stallings' window, 206 East State street today.

LIBRARY BOOKS. See the new list of children's books recommended by the library on sale at the Bargain Book store.

MOLINE RED MAN HERE. L. B. McNabney of Moline, arrived in the city recently to work in the interests of the Red Men and the Fraternal Accident Association of the I. O. R. M., of which he is a special representative.

OXFORD BIBLES. See the new complete Oxford red letter Bible, Bargain Book store.

Read the Journal, 10c a week.

## CITY AND COUNTY

John Colton of Virden was in the city yesterday.  
 T. G. Lukeman of Pisgah was in the city yesterday.  
 Deputy Sheriff Todd was a visitor in Arendville yesterday.  
 William Colton was a city visitor yesterday from Woodson.  
 Miss Ella Davis of Monticello was a city shopper yesterday.

Miss Alma Bates has gone to Pisgah for a visit with friends.  
 Mrs. Luther Emery of Waverly is visiting relatives in the city.  
 Mrs. Jones of Tallula was a shopper with city merchants Friday.  
 Mrs. Beecher Rimbey of Murrayville paid the city a visit yesterday.  
 Miss Olive Kehoe has gone to Springfield for a visit of a few days.  
 Mrs. Mary Say of Chandlerville was shopping in the city yesterday.  
 Mrs. Earl Fountain of Chapin was shopping in the city yesterday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brown of Murrayville were city shoppers yesterday.

Miss Ruth Deters has gone to Beardstown for a visit with relatives.

Harry Craig of Woodson was visiting with friends in the city yesterday.

William Barber of Litterberry spent yesterday in the city on business.

Mrs. Wm. Hinchide of Beardstown was among the city shoppers yesterday.

Miss Hattie reitag went over to Beardstown yesterday to attend a dance.

Willard Young of Litterberry was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Frank Wigginjoist of Pisgah was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Dr. J. H. Spencer was among the professional visitors in the city yesterday.

K. T. Clark of East St. Louis was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Wm. Straley of Petersburg is visiting Mrs. A. W. Baldwin of this city.

Mrs. Durrel Crum of Litterberry was among the Friday visitors in the city.

Mrs. Laura E. White returned Friday from a visit with friends in Winchester.

George Stansfield of Murrayville was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ator of Franklin were shopping in the city yesterday.

James Gibson of Murrayville was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

John McDonald, residing in the north part of the county was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Wm. Rook and son Fred were visitors in the city yesterday from Woodson.

Mrs. William Bell and Mrs. Chas. Caldwell were city shoppers yesterday from Pisgah.

W. H. Ainsworth of Roodhouse, was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rawlings of Nortonville was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beerup of Franklin were among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Washington Adams and wife of St. Louis made their Jacksonville friends a short visit yesterday.

Misses Nora and Alice Kerns of Naples are visiting Mrs. Kerns' daughter, Mrs. Massey on Hooker street.

W. W. Holliday, general manager of the Illinois Telephone company, was a business visitor in Murrayville Friday.

Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Ed. Roe, Mrs. Bessie Mackay, Mrs. Samuel Henry, Miss Jessie Levy, were visitors yesterday from Arendville.

Mrs. Gregory Clemons of Virden is visiting Mrs. Ralph Hutchison.

Miss Mabel Anderson of Scottville was in the city yesterday.

Elmer Bishop of Decatur returned home yesterday for a few weeks' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bishop, of South East street.

Mrs. L. R. Miller and family of Mattoon are spending two weeks as guests at the home of Mrs. West Birdsell and family north of the city.

Mrs. J. E. Teaney, Mrs. O. B. Reese, Mrs. Lewis Roberts, Mrs. A. J. Davis, Mrs. Arthur Davis and daughter were in from Franklin yesterday.

Mrs. Amanda Wade and daughter Stella were in the city yesterday from Hillsboro for a short visit after which they expect to go to Kansas City for the winter.

Edgar N. Smith of the Grace Chapel neighborhood who recently graduated from a barber college in St. Louis has gone to Springfield where he has accepted a position.

Mrs. Lucy McAllister and Mrs. James McKee of Woodson returned to their home in Woodson Friday afternoon after a visit with George Henry and family on East College street.

Miss Chattie Duncan for some time a clerk at the popular dry goods house of Harmon has resigned and will return to Franklin taking with her many good wishes of Jacksonville friends.

Mrs. W. L. Park of Chicago is in the city visiting with her uncle, G. L. Hoover of East College street.

Mrs. Ansl Brannon and daughter, Marcelline of White Hall were visitors in the city yesterday.

Mrs. John Holm of Calumet, Mich. who has been in the city to attend the golden wedding anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Veerlin Daniels, left yesterday for her home. She expected to stop over a day with her brother, George W. Daniels at Petersburg.

John Higler who has so long been in the postal service is one of the most successful of local gardeners as well if one may judge from the celery he raises. This year he had an excellent crop and the quality is finer than much which is shipped in from distant states.

See Anne of Old Salem at High School, Dec. 18-19.

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Special Demonstrations of Typewriting and of the Stenotype, that Wonderful Machine which has Simplified Shorthand.

The advent of the stenotype has marked a great advance in the development of shorthand and stenography and you will enjoy seeing the work of this simple yet marvelous machine.

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## BROWN'S BUSINESS COLLEGE

W. C. SPRINGGATE, Principal.

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Arthur Acom of the Mt. Zion neighborhood was a Friday business visitor in the city.

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"Then I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment and they cured her entirely in six weeks and her hair came in lovely. At that time she was about ten years old and now she is twenty-six and has never had any more trouble." (Signed) Mrs. H. J. Wadley, Dec. 14, 1912.

### PAINFUL ITCHING AND BURNING

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For treating poor complexions, red, rough hands, and dry, thin and falling hair, Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment have been the world's favorites for more than a generation. Sold every where. Liberal sample of each mailed free, with 22-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. T, Boston."

Men who shave and shampoo with Cuticura Soap will find it best for skin and scalp.

### MUNICIPAL LIGHT PLANT OWNERSHIP IS A WALL OF PROTECTION TO CITIZENS

Henry J. Rogers Believes This One of the Principal Reasons Why Jacksonville Should Vote for the Bond Issue--Possibility of Competition Effective in Securing Better Rates.

While Henry J. Rogers through his experience as owner of the light plant at Waverly is qualified to talk about the bond issue or rather the proposed plant equipment from a technical point of view he, in the present situation, is laying stress rather upon the fact of the need of retaining a municipal system of lighting as a matter of protection.

Mr. Rogers said regardless of the questions of Watts and Killo-watts, regardless of the question of the relative costs of buying current and of producing it, regardless of the question of pumping the city wells by purchasing power or that produced by a municipal plant, I believe that it is important for us to retain our municipal plant. It is important I believe because of the relationship of the existence of that plant toward the service rendered and the prices charged by the local utility company based upon what knowledge I have of electrical matters I thoroughly believe that the proposed plant can be equipped for \$50,000 in a way that will provide a complete system of electric lighting and some surplus power which could be sold commercially if the city so desired.

"The addition to this equipment of more boiler capacity which could be accomplished by the purchase of boilers from funds supplied by the water department would make it possible for the city to do all of its own pumping from the Widenham and Daub wells and from the present city pumping plant at the station located Southeast of the city. There are some people who argue that pumping by electricity is more expensive than pumping by steam but such is not the case. Looked at from a business standpoint it seems to me apparent that a plant for producing current for lighting and power for pumping could be operated with more economy than could a light plant and a water plant operated separately. However at this time I am not particularly concerned or interested in the question of how the city is going to pump its water supply. What I am concerned about is the question of Jacksonville going to retain its municipal plant and have it so equipped that it will be a standing argument why the local utility company should furnish the efficient lighting service and the reasonable prices to which this city is entitled.

#### Monopoly Not Desirable.

"If the light plant goes out of business and the local utility company has an absolute monopoly of the lighting proposition I maintain that we do not have the same chance for getting low rates and good service that the city would have if the municipal plant was still in existence and so equipped that it could make a beginning of selling light to private consumers. The present lighting rates in Jacksonville for electricity have a net price of 13 1-2 cents down. Supposing that this maximum rate was cut to 10 cents which the local company has indicated it may do, although there has been no definite statement to that effect.

"If the city should offer light for sale at 7 or 8 cents there would undoubtedly be a profit of 4 or 5 cents because figuring liberally that

current can easily be produced from a city plant at 3 cents. In that event the city would be making a nice profit on whatever commercial business it carried and the money would go into the hands of the people or city treasurer. But supposing to offset competition the local utility company were to cut the price of current to 6, 7 or 8 cents and the city would deem it unwise to sell at these figures then I maintain the city would still be getting the benefit from the local plant in so much as its existence and equipment had induced the local company to sell to customers at more reasonable prices. In either case the people would get the benefit.

#### Commission Slow to Act.

"It may be argued that after the utility commission goes into power in January that citizens will be able to carry complaints before the commissioners in an effort to secure more reasonable prices. It is true that complaints can be filed with this commission but it is also true that it would take a long, long time to bring the matter before the board in such a way as to get action. The duties of this commission concerning as they do the operation of all the railroads, electric lines, electric plants, gas plants, telephone, telegraph companies and other vast interests of the state are such that it is only reasonable to suppose that questions of only local interest in a city the size of Jacksonville would only have consideration after matters of larger importance and more general interest had been decided.

"In such a hearing, too, the electric company would have a distinct advantage in that all the evidence in the case is in their possession, the ruling of the commission would undoubtedly be that the company was entitled to a reasonable return on its investment and the proof as to what the returns really are, and what the investment is, are all in the hands of the company from whom the lower rates are desired. It is true that the law requires that the company's books and records must be made accessible and available for evidence in such hearings but anyone who has had experience in such matters knows it would be a mighty up-hill job for this city to go before the utilities commission with a thoroughly prepared case to convince the commission that local prices must be lowered.

#### Plant a Mountain of Protection.

"To get a matter concerning a rate, or a crossing before the present railway and warehouse commission takes months and sometimes years before a final hearing and decision is granted. When it is considered that the utilities commission will have all of the onerous duties of the railroad and warehouse commission in addition to the vast responsibilities connected with the public utilities of the state it is easy to see how long would be the journey before Jacksonville secured lower rates by telling the sad story of their grievances in the ears of the members of the utility commission. With a light plant equipped in the way it can be if this bond issue passes we can not only have a well-lighted city but what is of vastly more importance the people will reserve in their own hands a

weapon of defense and a mountain of protection.

"I am not an enemy or a special critic of the local gas company, I am not a special friend of or a sponsor for the present city administration, and the only reason I am advocating the present bond issue is because I think it is a matter of great concern of the Jacksonville of today, and of the future, to rehabilitate our present light plant and not to have it go out of business. I say I am not specially opposed to the local utility corporation but you and I know that a lighting corporation in this city, or in any other city charges its consumers just whatever the situation will stand. With all competition eliminated and practically all possibility of competition eliminated I maintain that the local company will not have the same incentive to lower prices that there would certainly be with a possibility of competition constantly looming up on the horizon. It is the way of corporations, it is the way of business generally, its the way of the world to charge all that the people will stand; it is human nature competition being the life of trade and in asserting that the local electric company will do this I am simply stating that they will follow natural instincts."

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And select that piano you have promised for Christmas. We have a number of sold pianos with cards on them to be delivered Christmas Eve. We, however, take pleasure in making mention of a few of our sales made in the last few weeks. Among them are: William Abbott, Miss Alice Devlin, Miss Hamilton, Mrs. Alice White, Bert E. Taylor, (Player piano), Carl Henderson, Miss Maude A. Gillham, Mrs. Fannie Strong, E. G. Sibley (Player Piano), Chauncey Carter, Joseph Bergsneider and Mrs. Dr. Edmonds.

A list of the sales in full will be published in a later issue of this paper.

Nothing better for your gentleman friend Xmas than some of the fine ties, gloves, mitts, mufflers, collars and cuffs at Knoles'.

#### WAS PRIZE WINNER.

Mrs. A. T. Franz entered a pen of White Wyandottes and a pair of White cochin bantams at the Beardstown poultry show and won first cockerel, first hen on White cochin bantams and first and second pen on white wyandottes, also Bley's cup for the highest scoring bird in the show.

#### CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

Cards. Calendars. Books. Bibles. Pictures. Fountain Pens. Bargain Book Store.

All kinds of nice Christmas articles for gentlemen at Knoles'.

#### A BEAUTIFUL DISPLAY.

Among the tempting show windows in the city none are excelled by those of Brady Brothers who have finely arranged a large list of handsome and useful articles very reasonable. This wide awake firm is always at the front and can be depended on to have what is right and duly attractive at the right time and this year is no exception to their rule.

#### ENGLISH FIRM HAS BAN ON TELEPHONES AND TYPEWRITERS

Officers of Rodgers & Co., Cutlery Believe Good Old Business Methods of Hundred Years Ago Are Best.

Over in Sheffield, England the great and long established house of Rodgers & Company, cutlery manufacturers, does not use telephone except for interdepartment communication. Likewise typewriters are barred. The firm makes it a matter of policy to taboo these improvements just as they do others and yet they conduct a successful business along lines accounted the best a century ago. An English paper gives the following insight into the firm's customs.

"They are probably the only big firm in England who are not on the telephone. Yet it has made no difference to their success."

Such was the opinion expressed to me today by a prosperous Sheffield merchant concerning the biggest cutlery firm in Sheffield—Messrs. Joseph Rodgers and Co.

I paid a visit today to the famous cutlery works, which occupy five acres of ground, and found that, except for an inter-departmental telephone, there is not only no telephone, but no typewriter to be found in the premises!

The letters are written by sedate clerks in a clear, legible handwriting, just as they were in 1682, when the firm were granted their trade mark.

There are no new fangled labor-saving devices to be found, and anything which suggests hustling—American business methods—is strongly deprecated.

"We don't believe in doing anything foolish," said Mr. John Rodgers, the head of the firm. "It is true that we are not on the telephone, although we have telephonic communication between the different departments."

"Some time ago we were on the telephone for a period, but we had it cut off."

Talking with other members of the firm, I found that all were in favor of the steady, old fashioned business methods.

"It is much better to keep safe ground, as we have done for over two centuries, than to rush wildly ahead," said one official.

"No doubt if some American business man was in a firm like ours he

would try to make things hum, but I am sure he would do more harm than good in the long run."

A copying machine is, I understand, the only modern labor-saving device in the offices, but this is very seldom used.

The principle of "take your time and do good work," is applied to all the 2,000 odd employees of Joseph Rodgers and Company.

The cutters and grinders and workmen are never hurried, and as a result they turn out a uniform first rate quality of work.

"There are thirty old men in the firm who have been at work every day for over fifty years, and in a few cases as much as sixty years," I was told as I left.

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John Minter, 423 South East St., Jacksonville, Ill., says: "I gladly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills, as I know them to be worthy of praise. I have been telling of my experience with this remedy for many years. I took Doan's Kidney Pills for pain in my back and other symptoms of kidney trouble and found them effective. I always advise the use of this remedy, when I have an opportunity."

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#### ASPLUND GETS HIGH PRAISE FOR WORK AS SECRETARY

Graduate of Illinois College Is Largely Responsible for Splendid Condition of Educational Association of New Mexico.

Prof. Rupert F. Asplund, who graduated from Illinois college with the class of 1896 and who subsequently taught in the college has for several years been connected with a state school in Albuquerque, New Mexico, has recently resigned as secretary of the New Mexico Educational Association. The Evening Herald of Albuquerque in speaking of Mr. Asplund has the following to-day: "Twelve hundred and eighty-five active members of the New Mexico Educational association are in actual attendance at the convention here which closes today."

"This is the record of accomplishment of four years' work by Rupert F. Asplund, the retiring secretary of the association, and assistant in the state department of education, to whom is given the large share of the credit for the arrival of the association at its present flourishing condition."

"On every hand are heard expressions of regret that Mr. Asplund could not see his way clear to continue in the position. He was offered material inducement to do so but felt that he could not do so."

"Four years ago when Mr. Asplund became secretary the membership of the teachers' association was less than 200. Today it is over 1300 and close to that number attended the present convention."

"We feel," said one of the heads of the school system of the state this morning, "that we are suffering a great loss in Mr. Asplund's retirement from the secretaryship and we all know that to him in very large measure the success and splendid growth of the association are due. He has worked willingly, day and night for the organization, giving freely of his time and wide experience in educational work and it will be very difficult to find any one who can take his place. He certainly deserves the fullest credit for four years of result getting endeavor."

BACK FROM PANAMA. Frank Elliott, president of the Elliott State bank, was expected home last night from his trip to Panama and other southern points.

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## MR. MISER DISCUSSES LIGHT BOND ISSUE

TRIES TO LOOK AT MATTER FROM CITIZEN'S VIEW POINT.

Thinks Figures Indicate That City Can Buy Light Cheaper Than It Can Possibly Produce It—Argues That New Utilities Commission Will Afford Citizens Ample Protection in Matter of Rates.

As part of the discussion of the light question at the Court house meeting last night, W. B. Miser, superintendent of the Jacksonville Railway & Light company made the following statement of the question from his point of view.

The last time I spoke before a gathering of Jacksonville people it was as the manager of a public utility. Tonight I propose to speak as a citizen of Jacksonville, though I am still manager of your local utilities.

If I viewed the present electrical problems of Jacksonville as a utility manager you might say I was biased. I may still be biased as a citizen of Jacksonville, but I shall attempt this evening to look at this problem from a disinterested standpoint as is possible, and show what the proposals now before the public mean to the citizens at large.

First we must discuss the bond issue. We must determine whether we, as citizens, are justified in going into debt to the extent of \$50,000 at present, and undoubtedly more in the future, for the purpose of providing ourselves with a municipal electric light plant which may be termed strictly as a venture. There are many considerations affecting this decision.

We are now within \$60,000 from our legal bond debt limit. If we vote the proposed \$50,000 of bonds we will have less than \$10,000 or so to go on. Is this a proper margin of safety? How far, for example, would this sum go toward stamping out an epidemic, or toward remedying conditions causing an epidemic?

Another feature which might be seriously considered in this thing, take for example: If Jacksonville should be visited by a windstorm such as Virginia was in 1911 or a storm such as Springfield had in 1912 or a sleet storm in Decatur had in February of 1913, which would destroy all this line work, the result of labor and time that we have spent nearly \$60,000 or \$70,000, where would we obtain the money to put the lines back in service again?

In cases of this kind, oftentimes, the expense of tearing down and rebuilding is greater than the initial expense. We have made, and I want to impress at this time for the provisions for the future, we beg to submit to the city of Jacksonville the following proposition:

I wish to dwell for a few minutes on this proposition as to why I think it is a good thing for the citizens of Jacksonville. If we issue bonds for an electric light plant, these bonds will run for 20 years. How good will our proposed new plant be in 10 years? You all feel, believe, that the present plant has long since outlived its usefulness. Yet it is not all paid for and there is a call for more money to rebuild it. Is it better business to issue 20 year bonds and rebuild this plant than watch it wear out as you have watched the present plant wear out, or is better to make a contract without going into debt a cent, let the contract run for ten years with a re-adjustment of price in 5 years with the chance for an entirely new deal at the expiration of the contract.

Was the present plant still giving good service even at the expiration of the first 10 years of its life? No, it was not. For only 3 years after the present plant was built, a new type of lamp was put on the market for street lighting, which gave more light for less money than the light with which you have been suffering for 15 years. And again in 1906 a still greater improvement was made in the introduction of the luminous arc, which again increased the light and reduced the cost, but still Jacksonville had to go with the old expensive lighting because it owned the lights and could not afford to throw them away until they were worn out. And again, a couple of years ago the tungsten filament incandescent was so improved that it could be used economically for street lighting. So now the proposal has been made to put tungsten lamps on the streets of Jacksonville because they are the most modern light available.

But even while this problem has come up in Jacksonville in the last two months there is announced a still further improvement in lighting—one not yet on the market, to be sure—merely a laboratory lamp so far, but an element to be reckoned with when it is perfected as it surely will be. It is an improvement on the existing tungsten lamp similar to the improvement made 14 years ago when the old open arc carbon was enclosed in an inner globe and its efficiency increased. The new experiments involve filling the tungsten bulb with nitrogen instead of creating a vacuum in them as is the present practice. It merely cites these improvements during the time Jacksonville has kept on with the old style lamps to show you that, while you were proud, and justly proud, of your plant when it was built, it soon became obsolete—but you had your money in it and could not get it out but on the other hand if you, as voters decide to do your street lighting by contract, you have no long time investment, you are not in debt one cent, and you are in a position to demand that the people get the benefit of improvements without having to make the necessary initial investment.

I, as a citizen of Jacksonville, have no quarrel to pick with those

## Men Who Will Play Prominent Parts In the New Congress.



Photos by American Press Association.

Senator Owen of Oklahoma and Congressman Underwood of Alabama will be prominent factors in the new congress. Senator Owen represents President Wilson in currency questions and has always spoken for a currency bill of the kind the president desires. Mr. Underwood is the leading tariff expert in the lower house and will resist any attempts to weaken the new tariff measure enacted during the summer. Senator Owen is at the left in the cut, and Congressman Underwood is at the right.

who believe in municipal ownership. Theoretically, the proposition is identical whether the city of Jacksonville, W. B. McKinley, John Jones, or whoever owns and operates the lighting company in the city of Jacksonville, the cost for such service will be 6 per cent interest, 6 per cent depreciation and 1 per cent taxes and insurance plus the operating cost. If this is done by our company, this is identical what the rates will be by virtue of the Utility Commission which comes into office January 1, 1914.

If the city owns the plant the cost is identical as in our case. If the rates are not high enough to take care of the interest, depreciation, taxes, insurance etc., the people of Jacksonville will have to pay the depreciation in the form of general taxation.

I believe municipal ownership advocates will not disagree with me on this assertion that all the energy generated in the city of Jacksonville for public or private use can most economically be generated from one central station, distributed over one set of lines, one set of poles, and with one investment.

It matters not who owns that plant. The city of Jacksonville can own it if they want to. They have the legal right and have had since the first of July last to purchase our utility, or any portion thereof on the same basis that the city would condemn and buy any private property and convert to public use, and in doing this they would be doing an economical thing, but you will say the city is in no shape financially to do it. There is also a provision in the same law that the city in buying a utility can finance the same way that private corporations can do.

Merely issue bonds secured by the utilities themselves instead of being secured by general faith and credit of the city.

## WHAT'S INDIGESTION? WHO CARES? LISTEN

"Pape's Diapiesin" Makes Sick, Sour, Gassy Stomachs Surely Feel Fine in Five Minutes.

Time it: in five minutes all stomach distress will go. No indigestion, heartburn, sourness or belching of gas, acid, or eructations of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, foul breath or headache.

Pape's Diapiesin is noted for its speed in regulating upset stomachs. It is the surest, quickest and most certain indigestion remedy in the whole world, and besides it is harmless.

Millions of men and women eat their favorite foods without fear—they know Pape's Diapiesin will save them from any stomach misery.

Please, for your sake, get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapiesin from any drug store and put your stomach right. Don't keep on being miserable—life is too short—you are not here long, so make your stay agreeable. Eat what you like and digest it, enjoy it, without dread of rebellion in the stomach. Pape's Diapiesin belongs in your home anyway. Should one of the family eat something which don't agree with them, or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or stomach derangement at daytime or during the night, it is handy to give the quickest, surest relief known.

## ISSUES BANK PERMIT.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 4.—Auditor of Public Accounts Brady today issued a permit to R. H. Alexander, James H. Spiker, L. B. Brewbaker, A. L. Flory and G. W. Krewbaker to organize the Farmers and Merchants State bank at Bushnell, McDonough county, with a capital stock of \$50,000.

## CELEBRATED AUTHORITY CRITICIZES OPEN GAME

Walter Camp Asserts East Ran Too Much on Defense and the West on Offense.

CHICAGO, Dec. 5.—Walter Camp, Yale's celebrated football authority commenting here today on the mooted question of superiority between western and eastern football teams, criticized the open game, at the same time saying eastern coaches had overdone this year the development of their defense.

"As to the game as played in the east and west, I think each section overdid itself a bit this year," he said. "The east ran a little too much on defense and the west on the offense."

In the open style of game, where a team uses its first three downs for rushing the ball, there is always the chance of wearing itself out. The team may gain the advantage for a while like the mile runner who sprints at the start. But will it hold out?"

Mr. Camp declared personal business called him here, not the purpose of arranging a Chicago-Yale grid-iron battle for next fall. He said it was unlikely that the blue and maroon would meet at football in the near future.

## Gentlemen's Xmas gifts at Knoles'

California Woman Seriously Alarmed  
"A short time ago I contracted a severe cold which settled on my lungs and caused me a great deal of annoyance. I would have had coughing spells and my lungs were so sore and inflamed I began to be seriously alarmed. A friend recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, saying she had used it for years. I bought a bottle and it relieved my cough the first night, and in a week I was rid of the cold and soreness of my lungs," writes Miss Marie Gerber, Sawtelle, Cal. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

## EUROPEAN EGGS SELL CHEAPER IN NEW YORK THAN U. S. EGGS

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Eggs imported from Europe are being sold cheaper in this city than eggs laid in the United States according to evidence said to have been obtained here by an agent of the United States department of justice. More than 6,000 cases of European eggs have arrived in this port during the past week. The importations have been made possible by the new tariff.

## BANK CLEARINGS.

New York, Dec. 5.—Bradstreet's bank clearings report for the week ending Dec. 4, shows an aggregate of \$3,842,298,000 as against \$2,721,000,000 last week and \$4,004,927,000 in the corresponding week last year.

List of cities:		Decrease
New York	\$2,203,884,000	5.7
Chicago	249,307,000	*2.4
Boston	177,773,000	12.8
Philadelphia	193,568,000	4.6
St. Louis	91,090,000	*1.5
Pittsburgh	60,112,000	3.4
Kansas City	59,469,000	7.7
Des Moines	5,393,000	*17.7
Teoria	4,758,000	*5.6
Cedar Rapids	1,804,000	1.7
Waterloo	9,540,000	8.7
Springfield	1,287,000	4.9
Quincy	873,000	4.3
Honington	682,000	*4.3
Decatur	544,000	3.5
Jacksonville	298,000	15.6
Stony City	3,700,000	*18.4

\*Increase.

## MILD WEATHER IS RETARDING FACTOR

REAL WINTER WEATHER WILL BE HIGHLY ACCEPTABLE IN WIDE AREA.

Warmth Is Dulling Retail Demand For Seasonable Merchandise, Coal, Holiday Goods, and is Causing Too Rank a Growth of Winter Wheat In Some Sections of the Country

New York, Dec. 5.—Dun's Review will say tomorrow: Complaints are still heard of the retarding influences of mild weather, which restricts retail demand for seasonable merchandise. Holiday trade, however has opened up well.

Apprehension of labor troubles at textile centers notably at Fall River has been removed, at least for the present, but scarcity of operatives keeps production below distribution. An easier tendency is manifest in cotton goods for contract delivery but spot values hold steady and recent inventories by western jobbing houses indicated "more prosperous conditions than a year ago."

Upon the removal of the tariff on whole at the opening of the month heavy withdrawals from bonded ware houses were made by manufacturers and dealers, yet the domestic situation is not affected by the change which had been fully discounted.

## Bradstreet's Review.

New York, Dec. 5.—Bradstreet's will say tomorrow: Unseasonably warm weather bulks large in the trade, crop and industrial reports this week. Retail trade is seasonable and holiday goods is checked. Warm, growing weather, projected into December is also dulling the seasonable demand for coal and causing too rank a growth of winter wheat. Some farmers are being forced to mow their lands to prevent too heavy a growth, jointing, etc. Insect damage is also complained of and real winter would be in a high degree acceptable throughout a wide area.

In industrial lines, too, the pace is somewhat slower, though the quieting down of activity in iron and steel, lumber and allied lines finds a partial counter balance in the activity in cotton goods, automobile manufacturing and woods.

Business failures for the week were 316 which compares with 285 in 1912.

## How to Bankrupt the Doctors.

A prominent New York physician says, "If it were not for the thin stockings and thin soled shoes worn by women the doctors would probably be bankrupt." When you contract a cold do not wait for it to develop into pneumonia but treat it at once. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is intended especially for coughs and colds, and has won a wide reputation by its cures of these diseases. It is most effectual and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

# PRINTER

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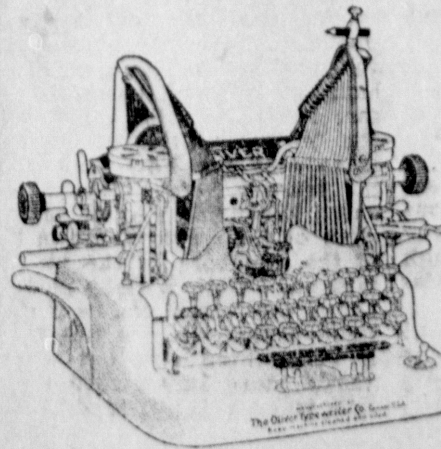
America rings with praise and applause for Printype. This superb new typewriter type has attracted more attention than any typewriter innovation brought out in recent years.

Hundreds of thousands of people have seen this new type and wondered what it was that made Printype correspondence seem like a spoken message. There's virility, strength and charm in Printype correspondence. There's refinement and "class" and style.

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## You Can't Beat This

MEN'S SHOES		LADIES' SHOES	
Worth \$5.00, now.....	\$2.90	Worth \$4.00, now.....	\$2.50
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Worth \$2.50, now.....	\$1.65	Satin dancing pumps all colors now .....	\$1.75

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### THE TEACHER AS A FACTOR IN CIVILIZATION

By S. H. McCausland

At the recent meeting of the Morgan County Teachers' association a very valuable address was delivered by S. H. McCausland on "The Teacher as a Factor in Civilization." It was the unanimous wish of the teachers present that the article be printed in the press of the city.

In all ages the church and the ministry have delegated to themselves the credit and glory of reclaiming and civilizing mankind. To challenge his presumptions, self-assumed honor and to place the educator and his work in the sphere of civilization to which they are justly entitled, is, pre-eminently, the purpose of this paper.

While I would not speak disparagingly of any vocation, profession or calling, that has for its object the uplifting of mankind, socially or otherwise, I must, of necessity, attack some moss grown ideas, deary some hobbies and set aside some long and dearly cherished theories. Progression is the watchword of our age. And that the educator may occupy his well earned position in the procession, he must appreciate his own usefulness, magnify his office, maintain his integrity and demand proper recognition of his merits. I have aimed, in this paper to set forth, briefly, his claims to first rank as a civilizing factor. My topic resolves itself into three propositions:

First—Education, which I define as instructing, training, reasoning, disciplining.

Second—Civilization. I define as an educated, refined, cultured intelligence. The result of education.

Third—Religion. I define as an inborn tendency to reverence or fear, an invisible, incomprehensible power. This tendency is as universal as air or water.

I rank education first, because it is now, always has been and ever will be the bedrock of intelligence, tolerant, religion and civilization.

The first school of which he have any knowledge were among the orientals. Their instruction consisted chiefly of religious teaching and ancestral worship. The Persians taught morals. The Greeks physical and military development. The Romans domestic science and manual training. The Hebrews, believing themselves a people chosen to promulgate Monotheism, expended their energy in that direction. They also taught ancestral worship. True, that among many ancient peoples, there were noted institutions of learning. But these had little or no effect upon the masses. Not until the introduction of free public schools was any considerable progress made in civic development. Then came the training and the art of war gave way to psychological research, aesthetic influences and ethical culture. A highly educated people is a highly civilized people. Religion with illiteracy forms a concocted, dangerous egotism. Religion with refinement marks the acme of human development. A nation may be intensely religious and be neither cultured nor civilized. The impregnation, growth and development of the physical, mental and moral being is, primarily, the prerogative of the teacher. It comes not within the purview of the theologian. When viewed from the standpoint of achievement this fact becomes apparent. The minister lays neither mental nor moral foundation. He does not rear the superstructure of character. He may paint, decorate, adorn, but he stands and ever has stood aloof and above the child. He is to the child a superior, supernatural being, endowed with a message to spirits and not to mortals.

Standing apart, separated from the child, he thunders at him at being pagan, of regeneration, of purification, of sanctification, of justification, of annunciation, of immaculate conception, of trinity, of sacrifice, of sacrament, of apostles, of resurrection, of judgment, of damnation, of eternal torment; he admonishes the child that the law of God must be kept inviolate or one cannot be saved. He then declares the law to be the law of man, being human, cannot keep the law. And if he should do so, "salvation comes, not by the keeping of the law, but by grace. He then closes this strange argument by asserting that the "natural man (or mind) cannot understand the things of the spirit." The child accepts this last proposition and falls asleep. In short, the minister is a giraffe feeder and places his poverdy beyond the child's reach. Not so the teacher. He becomes at once the child's parent, guardian, tutor, companion and friend. The child stands before him a nonentity, a negative quantity, devoid of language, devoid of language, devoid of knowledge, devoid of original thought. A piece of inert, human mechanism, without fuel, without momentum, without volition, without completion. A bundle of nerve fibers, an inexhaustible susceptibility, an impressionable carbon upon which must be stamped the principles of noble virtues and uncompromising personalities. A human intellect that must be nourished, an impulsive, restless, inquisitiveness that must be satisfied and a body that must be matured.

To accomplish these ends the teacher must enter into the child's world and become his hero, his ideal, his inspiration; a component part of the child. Into this timid thought center, this germ of intellect, must be instilled courage, strength, self reliance and righteous desire. The teacher must mould in perfect harmony the mental, moral and physical attributes of the child. To neglect any of these qualities is but to warp the complete structure. As the process of education evolves and the discernment enlarges, the child is directed into the great wonder world of creation, with its multiplied and diversified forms of animal, vegetable and mineral bodies.

His research leads him from the

### Legislators Who Will Lead Wilson's Trust Busting Campaign.



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SENATOR NEWLANDS.

CONGRESSMAN CLAYTON.

A conference on the subject of legislation further regulating operations of interstate corporations will be held at the White House. President Wilson will take up the question with Representative Clayton of Alabama, chairman of the house committee on judiciary, and Senator Newlands of Nevada, chairman of the committee on interstate commerce, the committees that will have charge of the anti-trust legislation. The Democratic party is committed to the integrity of the Sherman anti-trust law, and it is understood that a course of action will be mapped at the conference looking to the passage of bills supplementary to the existing anti-trust act.

simplest form of insect life to the most intricate composition of mind and matter, which is himself.

From the almost invisible germ of vegetation to the magnitude, and movements and incomprehensible distances, and innumerable hosts of the celestial bodies, he discovers the hand-work of the Master Workman of the universe, until his entire being is permeated and indelibly impressed with the reality and supremacy of God, which is the acme of all education. During this period of gestation he receives his first correct impressions of the fundamental principles of law and order.

The home rule was to him vague, unreasonable and arbitrary. He now comprehends its absolute necessity. Conformity to law and order, he perceives is the key to universal success. The school, the state, the nation, civilization, creation, exists upon obedience to order and system.

Passing through the higher institutions of learning, constantly under the influence of intelligent, capable, conscientious instructors, he enters life with a mind prepared to successfully cope with the many sided problems.

An enlightened intelligence and a conscience pliable to every touch of interest, makes him proof against peril and snuffers him with self control and self achievement. Then, then, is the finished civilian, the complete production of the humble pedagogue. It is not claimed that education changes the nature of man but that it gives him greater intellectual ability, a clearer insight of himself and of his duty to his fellow-man.

Education, unbridled or controlled by sinister motives, is but a smouldering volcano of evil. Like water, when properly applied, it conserves the general good of mankind.

When unrestrained, it becomes a destructive agency. From man's beneficial friend it becomes his implacable enemy. It is no longer his humble servant, but his reasonable and arbitrary master.

History bears me out in the assertion that whenever the refining element of education has been lacking there civilization has made but little progress. I would not speak disparagingly of the church, but I must say that the church, in its present state, is a stumbling block to the progress of civilization. The church, in its present state, is a stumbling block to the progress of civilization. The church, in its present state, is a stumbling block to the progress of civilization.

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mankind has achieved has been attained through the clear thinking, analytical, educated brain. It is true that the church has first opened an avenue to uncivilized nations. It is equally true that it has expended its energies in proselytizing these pagan peoples to a new form of worship and grafting them upon some specific religious denomination. The fact still remains that the church has failed to civilize man. This public school has much yet to do ere we reach the ideal stage to which our race is destined. When the heart of man turns more to his fellowman and less to the accumulation of wealth, and to his own selfish pleasures; when he reveres his Creator more than he reveres his theology and orthodox dogmas; when his clarity for suffering humanity is limited only by his ability to relieve; when caste and race hatred and poverty shall have been obliterated; when war, rapine and extermination have been displaced by peace and peaceful employments, then, and not until then, will every man become in truth and in verity his "brother's keeper." Since Columbus on his last voyage with his twelve ships, representing the twelve tribes of Israel, and his twelve apostles, representing the twelve tribes of Israel, landed upon the islands of this new world to America, the white man's religion. But despite church, minister and testament and song and supplication, sword and cannon, persecution and extermination, he has, until he felt the gentle touch and elevating influence of the refined, intelligent school man, remained an untamed, unregenerated, uncivilized American savage. The ancient religious dogmas that blockaded cities with the bodies of martyred saints that flooded their streets with the blood of infants and women, that instituted racks of torture and stakes of fire, guldines and chambers of horrors and death, may have been potent and convincing arguments, but they were not civilizing.

In our beloved America of churches and Bibles, and ministers and Sabbath schools, for centuries, the slave remained an ignorant, humiliated, superstitious, bondsmen. Educational advantages have in a comparatively short time given him prestige and position in the most enlightened nation of the world. Education contributed more towards the civilization of Cuba and the Philippines in four years than the church had accomplished in four centuries. The countries of North and Central Africa, of Southern Europe, almost all of Asia, Mexico, Central America, a very great portion of South America and the islands of the sea, are steeped in ignorance and superstition. The illiteracy is appalling. The beliefs in ghosts, holy men, magic, sorcery, witchcraft, soothsayers, spirits, mythology, dreams, interpreters, charms, visions, prophecies, fortune telling, voodooes, magic and amulets prevail. This Chinese and Japanese and Jews have their ancestral worship. The Hindu worships the sun. The Persian worships the sun. The Egyptian consults his oracles. The Turk does sacred service in Mohammedan warfare. Shintoism, Buddhism, Confucism, Jadaism and paganism hold unrestricted sway. The ignorant idol worshippers of the world, practice cruel, self imposed penance. The Hindu who casts himself beneath the wheels of the juggernauts, the Indian widow who sacrifices her body upon her husband's funeral pyre; the Egyptian mother who casts her infant into

the jaws of the crocodile; this Hebrew who offers up as a sacrifice his own child; the innumerable hosts of the "faithful," whose bones bleach upon the burning sands and arid plains of Arabia leading to the shrine of Mohammed, had an enviable religious zeal, but not according to knowledge. What these people need is not more religion, nor a different religion, but a public school upon every hilltop, with no saloon in the valley. For be it said, to the everlasting shame of the church, wherever her hand has touched uncivilized man, they have been transformed into a nation of nebrates. And intemperance today is not only the greatest evil, but greater than all other evils combined, with which the school must contend. Through all the centres of the past religious teachings have relegated woman-kind to mental and physical bondage. Laboring under a double curse, she has been forced to bear the burdens of life handicapped. Humiliated by her liege lord to the position of serfdom, she has ploughed his fields, performed his drudgery and tolerated his abuse. Goodspeed, in his history of "The Ancient World," 1912, used this pertinent, and significant expression: "In many countries of Europe it is no uncommon thing at this time to see a woman hitched by the side of a dog to a market cart." Not in enlightened countries. Oh, no! It has taken two hundred and fifty years of public schooling to loosen these infamous shackles and place woman upon the pedestal which God decreed she should occupy—a helpmeet for man. His equal in intelligence, she surpasses him in all commendable virtues. Today man, in all the civilized world, admires woman for her beauty; respects her for her nobleness of character, honors her for her virtue and loves her because she is worthy of being loved. Educated civilization recognizes the fatherhood of God and acknowledges the brotherhood of man. It begets philanthropy, toleration and self respect. It fosters peace, encourages industry, protects enterprise and defends the sanctity of the home. It follows the seas, sails the air, connects commercial worlds, captures the lightning, harnesses electricity, utilizes steam, birds the universe and calculates the movement of the heavenly bodies. It compels the bowels of the earth and the depths of the sea to yield their treasures for the comfort and convenience of man. It generates higher ideals and aspirations, gives man a more thorough knowledge of himself and a more intelligent conception of his Creator and His works. And beneath all, permeating all, vitalizing all, sustaining all, stands the unrecognized and unrequited pedagogue, the Civilizer of the Universe.

A PLEASANT BIRTHDAY. Yesterday marked the 83rd birthday of Mrs. Burns and her pleasant home on South Church street where she is so kindly cared for by her dutiful daughter, Miss Mollie, was sought by a number of friends who called to pay their respects and good wishes to the dear old lady so beloved and respected by a host of friends. At dinner her niece, Miss Gross and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Henderson and children were guests and during the afternoon a number called to express their friendship and esteem and bring sundry tokens of love and good will. Fruit, flowers and a lot of things testified to the great esteem in which Mrs. Burns is held by those who have the pleasure of her acquaintance. She was much pleased by the attention paid her and expressed her thanks in a feeling manner.

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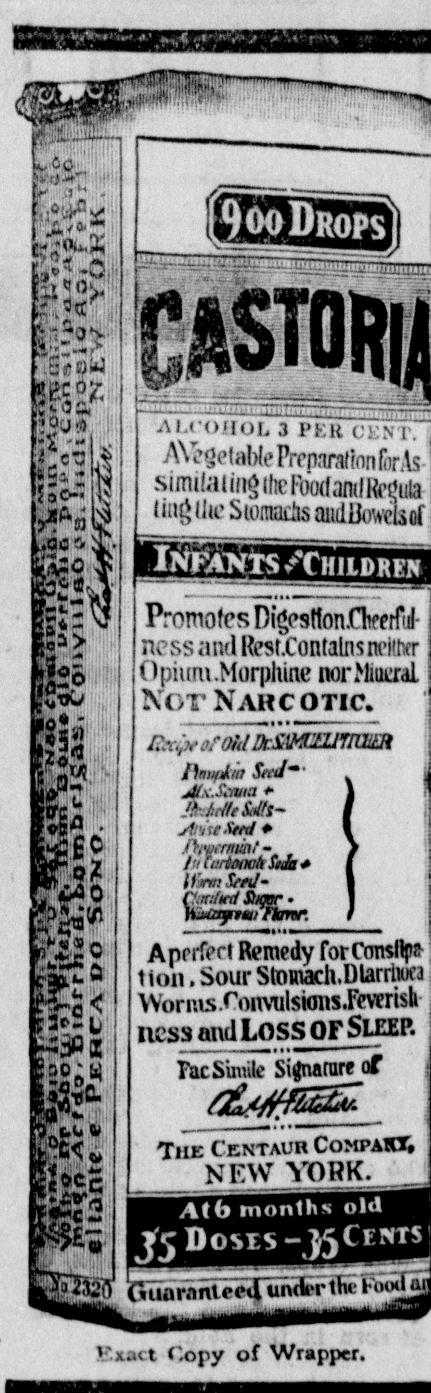
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## Agricultural News Valuable To Farmers

### FLAVOR OFTEN MARS PRODUCTS OF DAIRY

#### DEFECTS BEING LOW SCORES WHEN BUTTER IS EXHIBITED.

Flavors are due to bacterial action and absorption—Chances for Acquiring Odors are Almost Unlimited—Judges Often Confused and Fail to Give Right Credit to Sweet Clean Butter.

(By L. R. Lang, Associate in Dairy Manufactures, University of Illinois.)

An examination of the dairy butter exhibited at the Illinois state fair, also, at the national dairy show proves that the defects of dairy butter are largely those of flavor. The low scores given made for these contests, where every exhibitor expected to do his best, may be ascribed to defective flavor. Many persons making dairy butter either do not understand the important factors influencing the flavor of butter, or else they do not employ the best methods in their power for making a clean-flavored product. There may be apparatus lacking, which, if secured by a small investment, or if made by the individual, would improve the present methods and result in higher quality of butter. The matter of prime importance and the one to which we will give our undivided attention in this article is the question of butter flavor.

According to their origin, the flavors of butter may be divided into two classes: Firstly, those due to bacterial action, and secondly, those due to absorption.

Bacterial action, caused by the presence of germs, produces those flavors designated as metallic, fishy, rancid, bitter and high acid. While on the other hand, absorption produces those flavors known as cow or animal, vegetable or cellar, unclean, smothered and gasoline. In speaking of absorption we must remember that fat readily takes and retains all odors with which it may come in contact, or be in the vicinity of. Naturally, then, the variety of flavors formed by absorption are as unlimited as are those odor-producing substances in close proximity to the butter.

First, in this division of flavors which we have made, we consider those flavors due to bacterial action which we classed as metallic, fishy, rancid, bitter and high acid.

Metallic and fishy flavors are common, but the cause for these are unknown. Metallic flavored butter has been made by adding different minerals to cream. The acid formed when cream becomes soured or ripened may attack the metal of the can. This would be possible with old utensils where the tin was worn through and the iron plate exposed. It seems that butter with metallic flavor may, on standing, become fishy in flavor. These flavors are very objectionable and a butter buyer on the market makes a cut from 12 to 20 points in the score of flavor when the butter is metallic or fishy in flavor.

A rancid flavor is associated with changes which occur in the fats which make up butter fat as a whole. It is thought that light, air and bacteria enter into the changes causing rancid flavor.

Bitter flavors develop in cream when it is stored or ripened at a temperature too low for good ripening and too high for storing or holding cream. They seem to result from careless methods, or when it is impossible to cool the cream to a low temperature in holding before ripening.

An acid flavor, if distinct as a clean flavor of ripening, is desirable, but if it shows high acidity from extreme ripening the flavor is considered undesirable as it indicates poor keeping qualities. On the farm where a starter is not often used and a very slow ripening process is employed the high acid flavor is attained, but other fermentations may develop which may at any time predominate and get the balance of flavor.

The flavors due to bacterial action having been discussed, we now turn our attention to the absorbed flavors which are so unlimited in variety. We have mentioned those most frequently occurring, but we must keep in mind that these flavors vary in intensity and that combination of flavors occur, the result being that a special term is often employed to describe the special case.

The cow or animal flavor results from milk or cream acquiring this flavor from the stable. The cream separator, if placed in the barn, allows the cream excellent opportunity to take this odor. The separator should not be operated where the stable odor prevails.

The vegetable and cellar flavors in butter are caused by storing cream where objectionable odors are present, and there is no circulation of pure air.

The unclean flavor of butter may result from placing milk or cream in unclean cans. To get rid of such flavors the milk and cream cans must be washed with some dairy cleanser and scalded with hot water. The smothered flavor suggests the odor of a churn not often used, which has a close odor of damp wood. Besides the usual washing, a churn should be scrubbed every two weeks with dairy cleanser, or washed with the clear liquid produced by the setting of slacked lime in water.

The gasoline flavor, although not common, may be distinct in butter. It is probably due to gasoline fumes being absorbed by the cream. Then there is a lack of ventilation and the gas engine is in the same room with the separator. This flavor

### CUTTING COSTS IN SWINE PRODUCTION

#### USE OF FORAGE CROPS IN MAKING THIS POSSIBLE.

Green Crops Handled in This Way Bring Quick Results—Experiments in Several States Prove Possibilities of This Method of Producing Porkers.

(By W. F. Handschin, Associate Animal Husbandry, University of Illinois.)

The experience of farmers in general has taught them that labor is one of the large items of expense in producing many of our farm crops and animals. In order to reduce these costs, every effort has been made to substitute horsepower and machinery for man labor; to increase the efficiency of the laborer by having him use more horses and larger machinery; to decrease the cost of animal products by cutting down the amount of labor spent in feeding and caring for the animal.

One of the most important labor economies in the production of meat, is no doubt being effected by the constantly increasing use of forage crops in the growing and fattening of swine. This is being done through the use of a variety of green crops, such as alfalfa, clover, rape, bluegrass, soybeans, cowpeas, oats and rye; and the "hogging off" of corn in the field.

#### Use Various Forage Crops.

A great many farmers throughout the corn belt have gradually worked into this practice, and a large majority of them have found it profitable and generally satisfactory. Recent bulletins by the Iowa and Missouri stations report a number of trials with a variety of forage crops. Rape is reported as giving the largest returns per acre at the Iowa station. Alfalfa was found to be the best permanent forage crop. When spring pigs were pastured throughout the season, one acre of rape was credited with 1,439 pounds of pork. With corn charged at 50 cents per bushel the hogs on alfalfa produced pork at a feed cost of \$2.88 per hundred. At the Missouri station clover proved to be the most profitable single forage crop; while a rotation of rape, clover, and corn in connection with blue grass pasture is recommended as one of the best rotations. In these trials, the value of an acre of forage crops varied from \$19.47 for blue grass to \$34.05 for clover, figuring pork at six cents a pound.

These investigations show quite conclusively the possibilities of this system of pork production. It will be necessary for each farmer to work out the best rotations for his own conditions in fitting this system to his particular farm.

#### All Season Forage Best.

One of the most important things to plan for is to have continuous forage of some kind throughout the entire growing season. This can probably be secured earliest through the use of fall rye. This can be followed by alfalfa, clover, blue grass and other crops, with rape to fit in at almost any time throughout the entire season.

If a small field of some early variety of corn, possibly sweet corn, is planted, hogs can be turned into it by the 10th or 15th of August. When this is finished some early field corn and then the regular field corn will fill out the entire season.

The fattening hogs should be turned in rather small areas of corn, in order to have them clean it up fairly well before turning in to new areas. They should not be made to clean up the field too closely, or they will not get enough corn. Shoats or stock hogs can finish the cleaning up while running on some leguminous forage.

#### Portable Fences Best.

Portable fences should be used as far as practicable in order not to cut off the fields too much, as this cuts down the economy in growing crops. If pork producers will work into a practice gradually and intelligently it should be the means of cutting down the costs of production by a considerable margin. It also leaves the manure produced by hogs, evenly distributed over the fields and saves more of its fertility than can ordinarily be saved in growing swine in dry lots.

It must not be confused with the more common oily flavor caused by high temperatures in ripening and churning, and made prominent by overworking.

A sweet, clean flavored butter is often discriminated against by the butter judge, but it has superior keeping quality. This butter is made from sweet cream or cream not very sour and there is some demand for it by the special trade, but often in a contest it is not given the score it deserves. The buyer or judge familiar only with the acid flavor calls the sweet, clean product "flat."

It is unfortunate that dairy butter is generally sold to persons not qualified to criticize or to recommend methods for improvement. As it is, the defects in the butter recur until the defective product becomes a standard of quality.

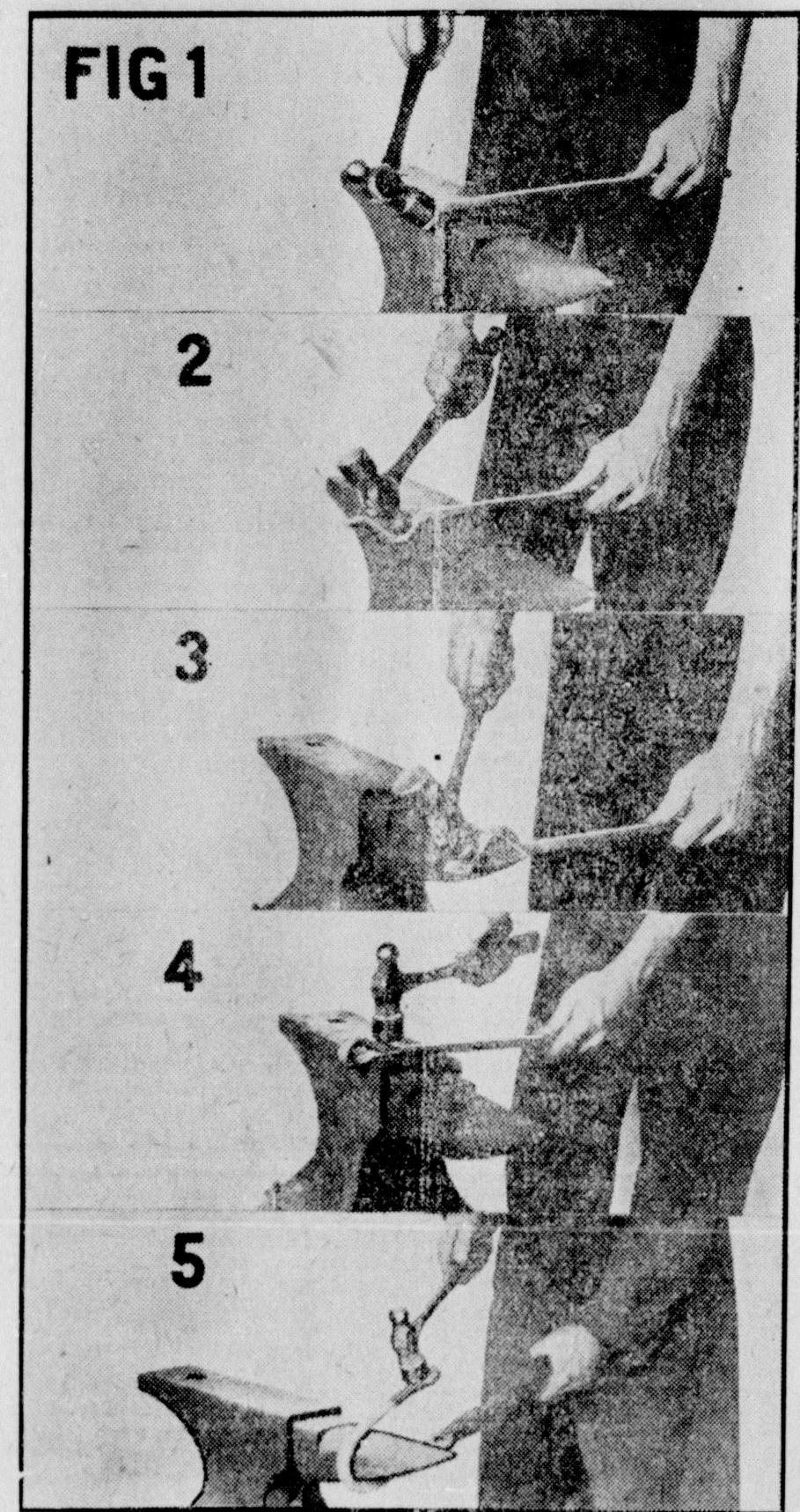
Monthly scoring exhibits are held at the college of agriculture, Urbana, Ill., and in this manner creamery butter makers learn the score and defects of their butter. Although these contests are held at stated times and are open only to creamerymen, samples of dairy butter sent in at any time by individuals are criticized and a report is made to the maker.

### THE RIGHT METHOD FOR FORGING A CLEVIS

Instruction Given for Making of Indispensable Little Article in a Farm Work Shop—Old Material Can Be Used.

(By E. T. Lanham and P. J. Rebman, Instructors Forge Practice, University of Illinois.)

The clevis is a small but indispensable article to the users of horse drawn implements and vehicles. It is usually made of malleable iron, grey iron, drop forging, or wrought iron. The cost is trifling, but a cro-



Forging a Clevis.

ken clevis may be the cause of delay to important work if it cannot immediately be replaced or repaired. As a protection against contingencies of this kind, every farmer living some distance from town should know how to forge a clevis.

Old rods or bolts can be used as material to make clevises. Also wrought iron of various shapes can be drawn out and forged into the proper form. Clevises of different sizes require iron stock of various lengths. An approximate rule which will guide in cutting stock for a clevis of a given size is as follows:

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The last legislature passed a law regarding roads and bridges which introduced new principles and methods concerning the construction and maintenance of roads and bridges; and the law also created the office of county superintendent of highways and provides for the possible appointment of township or district superintendents of highways. In view of the new principles of administration introduced by this law and also in consideration of the entirely new duties devolving upon the county and township superintendents of highways, and further on account of the recent radical changes in the methods and materials of highway construction due to the increasing use of automobiles, the civil engineering department of the University of Illinois will offer a course in highway engineering from January 19 to January 31, 1934.

There will be no charges of any kind by the university; and the course will be open to any one without examination or other condition. The work will be planned primarily to help the county superintendent or highway engineer to prepare himself for his new duties. The course will be open to any one who aspires to be appointed to the position of either county or township superintendent of highways, and to any others interested in the maintenance or construction of roads. It is believed that the course will be valuable also to those who seek employment under the Illinois highway commission. The university will canvass the residences and rooming houses near the

Five times diameter of eye, plus length of clevis, plus width of clevis, the total multiplied by two. The eye is usually made with a diameter equal to thickness of stock.

In forging a clevis the iron rod is cut to length according to the rule just given; place one end in forge fire and heat to red heat; and scarf as shown in figure 1. Reheat about four inches, and bend with piece of hammer as illustrated in figure 3. Place over horn of anvil and continue bending the eye as shown in figure 3. Finish forming the eye by bringing scarf against anvil as shown in figure 4. Reheat to white glow, dipping the eye in water occasionally to keep from burn-

### SANITATION ON FARM ALL IMPORTANT FACTOR

#### HOUSES IN COUNTRY SHOULD BE PLEASANTER THAN THOSE OF CITY.

Typhoid Fever Which Attacks Entire Family Emphasized Need for Proper Drainage Provisions and Pure Water Supply—Attention to Such Details Will Often Prevent Disease.

(By Paul Hansen, Engineer State Water Survey, University of Illinois.)  
(Second Article on Improving the Farm Home.)

A farmer boy of seventeen, yearning for the life of a city left home to secure work in a nearby manufacturing town. The time and places need not be mentioned, for the story is typical of many others, though perhaps less tragic. As a result of drinking, contrary to rules, polluted water distributed through the factory in which he was employed, for the purpose of cooling steel rolling mills, he contracted typhoid fever. While still in the backache and headache prodromal stage, he returned to the farm home and took to his bed a few days later. Besides the father and mother and the boy above mentioned, there were in the family three girls, respectively 6, 13 and 15 years old, and two boys, respectively, 4 and 8 years old. Within thirteen to fifteen days, after the boy returned home, the mother and all of the children except the baby, took to their beds with typhoid fever. The baby did not escape, however, for ten days later he was seized with the disease. Fortunately none of the cases ended fatally, but the suffering, care and worry nevertheless marks a real tragedy.

The farm in question differed in no essential particulars from the great majority of farms throughout the country. Its location had always been regarded as healthy and as a matter of fact there had been no former unusual occurrences of disease. To the average person there was nothing obviously unsanitary. The house was newly painted, the interior was clean and generally neat and the yard about the house gave evidence of being systematically cared for. In short, the absence of slovenliness and dirtiness so commonly associated with unsanitary conditions disarmed the thought that here was a potential disease-breeding place.

#### Typhoid Fever Germs.

How then can all this be reconciled with the fact that typhoid fever more than all other diseases is an index of bad sanitary conditions? A disease moreover which is transmitted only by the discharges of the bowels and bladder and is acquired only by getting the germs into the mouth and swallowing them? Closer observation of the premises, however, revealed several important facts as follows:

(1) A privy was built but 50 feet from the kitchen windows and as is common in the country districts this privy was erected over a loosely boarded pit which had caved in such a manner as to expose fecal matter to the ready access of flies and chickens. Also this privy had been used by the oldest son upon his return from the city at which time he was suffering severely with diarrhea no doubt coming with biliousness of typhoid fever bacteria.

(2) At a distance of forty feet from the privy was a drilled well 82 feet deep extending through much crevassed sand stone rock except for the upper eight or ten feet, which were made up of surface soil. As indicating the close connection between surface conditions and the water bearing stratum it was a matter of frequent observation that the water drawn from the well was quite turbid after heavy rains. This turbid water was used for drinking. There was ample evidence to condemn the well as unsafe, but if additional evidence were needed, an analysis of the water showed under ordinary conditions 750 bacteria per cubic centimeter, a very large number for a deep tubular well; moreover intestinal bacteria were present.

(3) The windows of the kitchen as well as of the remainder of the house were uncreened and as an attack occurred during the month of August when flies are most numerous, these insects were migrating in swarms between the privy and the kitchen where food was prepared.

#### Several Sources Possible.

Whether the typhoid germs were carried from the privy to the food in the kitchen by flies, whether the infected filth from the privy leaked into the ground and infected the well water, or whether the boy infected the other children through handling of food on the table with soiled hands, will never be known with certainty, but that one or more of these factors was active must be beyond all doubt.

Privies, wells, flies, and exposed food constitute the sanitary dangers of country life, just as polluted public water supplies, polluted milk supplies, dirty foodstuffs and slums constitute the sanitary dangers of city life. The cities, however, are cleaning up, while the rural districts the remaining stationary. In the last decade of the country recently

### ECONOMY IN WINTER FEEDING BRINGS BEST RESULTS

High Price of Corn Makes Some Other Ration Desirable Part of the Time—Tankage for Hogs and Oil Meal for Cattle Recommended.

Economy in feeding livestock in winter may be affected by a suitable choice of feeds. The usual custom of feeding corn as the exclusive grain for cattle and hogs is wasteful, especially with corn at its present high price. Cheaper and faster gains can be made by using some other feeds to balance the corn ration. Many counties of Illinois must develop a greater live stock industry, both for the profit which it brings and for the good of the land. In doing this economical feeding is important.

#### Tankage for Hogs.

At present prices of feeds the most profitable to combine with corn for hogs is the best grade of tankage, or meat meal containing 60 per cent protein. In ton lots delivered this should not cost over \$50. A ton of this will produce as much benefit in feeding hogs as two and one-half to three tons of middlings. Repeated experiments have shown that a ton of the best tankage will replace about 120 bushels of corn and that is a fair basis on which to figure its value. Although the hogs actually eat more corn when they are getting tankage than when fed corn alone, they gain much faster, so that whether it is growth or fat that is desired, results are secured more quickly. There is thus less danger from disease. Although tankage is made from meat scraps, it is heated to so high a temperature that all disease germs are killed. If local dealers do not have this it can be ordered from any of the large packing companies. Tankage should be fed at the rate of five to six pounds to each bushel of corn. The tankage is fed mixed with water or will form a thin slop, and after it is cleaned up the corn is fed.

#### Linseed Oil Meal for Cattle.

For cattle feeding linseed oil meal is the most popular thing at present combined with corn especially when cattle are in need of much grain and are given plenty of clover. Oil meal and clover hay supply to large extent the same materials, but the oil meal is much richer. Dairy cattle especially need some of this sort to support a heavy flow of milk. Usually cotton seed meal is better for this purpose, but this year oil meal is lower in price. Cottonseed meal and oil meal are practically of equal value pound for pound for cattle feeding. Two pounds of oil meal daily per head along with corn silage and clover hay make a suitable ration for dairy cows. If corn fodder or timothy hay must be fed instead of clover, it would be better to feed four pounds of oil meal. For calves a mixture of one part oil meal to three parts corn is very suitable. For fattening steers on a full feed of the corn two or three pounds of oil meal daily per head, gives a marked increase in gains and cheapens the cost.

Oil meal can also be fed to advantage to colts and sheep. For the colts about one-fifth as much oil meal as oats is enough and for sheep about one-third as much as corn is sufficient.

#### Shredding Corn Fodder.

Some corn fodder has already been shredded this fall, but it was too early for this to be done with assurance of storing the fodder without mold. The latter part of November is early enough for shredding fodder. Corn dries out slowly in the shock and if it is run through a shredder early in the season there is likely to be spots in the mow which will get quite hot. Shredded fodder is very satisfactory for feeding and the refuse stocks make the best of bedding. Careful trials indicate that shredded fodder will feed about one-fourth more stock than the same acreage of fodder fed whole. Even for horses, shredded fodder gives good results, especially during the winter. For fattening steers, fodder fed whole with the corn on it is much more economical. —E. T. Robbins, Tazewell County Agricultural Adviser.

ended typhoid death rates of 50 and over per 100,000 living were not uncommon in the larger cities of the country, while at present the largest cities are succeeding in keeping their typhoid fever death rates at low 15 per 100,000 living and in some instances it actually falls below the low five. In the rural districts the rate is about 22 per 100,000 living and while some decrease is evident, it has not been greater than about three or four during the past 20 years and this falling off is in all probability due to the influence of improved sanitation in the cities so that the farmer visiting the city does not as formerly and as in the case of the farmer boy, return home stricken with the dread disease. On the contrary, much of the typhoid now remaining in some of our cities is attributable to the relatively greater amount of typhoid now existing in the country and frequently farm milk is the medium whereby it is conveyed.

#### Farm Home Should Be Pleasant.

The farm home can and should be more sanitary and certainly more pleasant to live in than crowded city habitations. The desired result can be realized by giving adequate consideration to farm water supply, farm sewage, farm drainage, and a few simple sanitary principles of personal hygiene, all of which will be discussed in a series of easily understandable articles under the general head of "How to Improve the Farm Home."

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### TELLS HOUSEWIVES HOW TO WHIP CREAM

BEST RESULTS OBTAINED WHEN CREAM IS TWENTY-FOURS OLD.

Under Right Conditions Will Treble In Bulk—Temperature Is Important Factor in Bringing About the Best Results—Dover Beater and Shallow Bowl Best To Use.

(By Cora E. Gray, Household Science Department, University of Illinois.)

Whipped cream, either sweetened or unsweetened, can be used in a variety of ways for the table. The spoonful dropped on the cup of hot chocolate prevents the annoying film. Salad dressing, especially for fruit salads, are improved by the addition of cream. Whipped and sweetened cream on fruit makes a delicious dessert. To many, however, whipped cream seems an expensive luxury to be indulged in only occasionally, although plain cream may be freely used. To be sure whipped cream is usually somewhat more expensive than ordinary cream, but it does not cost twice as much, for under proper conditions, whipping increases the volume three or four times. For a pudding one cup of cream must usually be allowed for four persons, but if whipped, that quantity would serve at least 12. Whipped cream may be cheaper than unwhipped.

#### Cream One Day Old Best.

If conditions are not right, however, cream may not treble or even double its bulk. It has been claimed that cream for whipping must be two days old, but as a matter of fact cream one hour old can be whipped, although the bulk obtained is small, and the texture very soft. Age does influence the whipping qualities of cream, but not so greatly as sometimes stated. Cream 18 to 24 hours old gives quite as good a product as that 48 hours old and is stiffer and greater in bulk than newer cream. The best results as to bulk are obtained with cream one day old, but after 18 hours a good product may be obtained at any time until the cream sours. It is quite possible, though not at all usual, to obtain separator cream which is too rich to whip well. Cream sold for whipping is about 23 per cent butter fat. A richer cream than this is not necessary nor desirable, although a smaller percent of butter fat gives smaller bulk and poorer quality. Ordinary cream, "coffee cream," contains according to the Illinois law, 18 per cent butter fat, and while it can be whipped, it gives a soft product of small volume.

#### Temperature Important Factor.

The temperature is an extremely important factor in whipping cream. At room temperature, or even at that of an ordinary ice box except in the ice chamber, cream will not whip to the best advantage. Setting the bowl of cream in a pan of cracked ice for a few minutes greatly decreases the time required to whip and improves the appearance and bulk. The temperature should not be much above 40 degrees Fahrenheit. The colder the cream, the larger the bulk and the stiffer the product. The kind of beater and the shape of the bowl used influences the whipping to a marked degree. A Dover egg beater and a large shallow bowl will not whip a half cup of cream satisfactorily, even though it is cold and at the most favorable age. A small, deep bowl—a cup, if the beater will fit into it—should be used so that the cream about half covers the rounding part of the beater. On the other hand it should not be so completely covered that no air can be carried in as it is turned. A Dover beater will give good results with whipping cream if a suitable bowl is used. With very small quantities or with thin cream, a cream churn (one consisting of a tube with a dasher which moves up and down) gives better results. If thin cream is used, the whipped portion should be dipped off and allowed to drain on a sieve. For some purposes sweetened cream is desirable. The addition of sugar decreases the bulk slightly, but improves the appearance and palatability. The sugar may be added at any time during the whipping, but preferably about midway in the process.

#### Increase Three Times.

Since cream increases its bulk so greatly in whipping, it is not expensive when substituted for plain cream, neither is it difficult to prepare if a few conditions are observed. For the best results the cream should be a day old; it should be 23 per cent butter fat; it should be cold not above 42 degrees Fahrenheit; the bowl and the beater should be adapted to the amount of cream to be whipped. Under these conditions one cup of cream should whip in a few minutes to a stiff product of at least three times its original bulk.





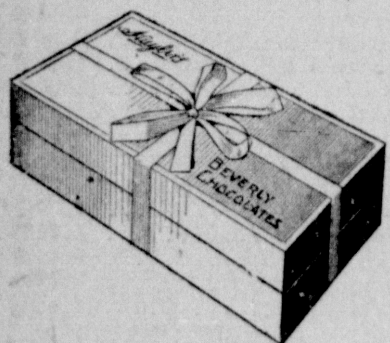


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## DR. BOWE ARGUES FOR MUNICIPAL PLANT

GAVE FIGURES TO SHOW THAT RETAINING IT WILL MEAN MONEY SAVED.

Comparative Tables Showed Costs of Operation During Period of Years—Used these in Making Estimates For the Future—Speaker Gave First Definition of Kilowatt.

One of the speakers at the meeting for light bond discussion at the court house last night was Dr. Edward Bowe. On the basis of a careful and painstaking investigation Dr. Bowe presented strong evidence in favor of the retaining of the municipal plant. His remarks were as follows:

"In presenting this matter I wish to be courteous and fair to all yet in order to do justice to the citizens of Jacksonville and place before you some of the information derived by the Committee of the Chamber of Commerce in studying this question I must speak plainly regarding all the facts that bear upon the subject.

"I wish to state further concerning much that has been said regarding Franchises and State Utility Commission that these matters are not now under discussion and have little or no bearing upon the subject before you.

"You will please recall the fact that Jacksonville is a city under the Commission Form of Government and her citizens have the right to express their wishes by the use of the ballot regarding the disposition of their municipal property. The law creating this form of Government was passed some time prior to the Utilities law; and no legislature is going to delegate to an appointed commission the power to disfranchise the electorate of this city. Should we reach the stage of unreasonableness in our demands our Supreme Court could intervene, but to show that we have not as yet reached that stage, I desire to call your attention to the recent rumors regarding the proposed reduction in the price of electrical current in Jacksonville.

The Real Question.

"The question upon which we will vote December 20th, is 'shall we issue \$50,000 in bonds to reconstruct our Municipal Light Plant?' As against this proposition various proposals for the purchase of electrical current from the McKinley Company have been advanced. To the facts regarding the relative value of these proposals and the Bond Issue, I shall endeavor to confine my remarks.

"On a ten year basis herewith is submitted the net financial results of owning our Municipal Light Plant. This is the Bond Issue proposition or accepting the McKinley company's proposition; that is to equip and light our streets for \$12,000 per year. In addition the McKinley Company propose to return to the City three per cent of their gross income in Jacksonville, which at the present time would amount to about \$7,000 per year. From this statement it would appear upon first thought that we would have our streets equipped and lighted, for the expenditure of \$5,000 per year or \$50,000 for ten years.

"Mr. Miser's statement in Tuesday's Journal is virtually the same proposition the three per cent gross income to be returned in this proposition is simply the people's money paid in increased rates to the McKinley Company. The proposition is \$12,000 per year either way you figure it.

Street Lighting Proposal.

\$12,000 per year for street lighting alone. This represents 5 per cent depreciation, 5 per cent interest and 2 per cent taxes on an investment of \$100,000, within \$5,000 of the full physical value of the plant of the McKinley Company located on the north west corner of South Main and Anna streets; and this includes all real estate, buildings and machinery for the production of electricity and gas. I will go into this matter in detail before this statement is completed.

"What it will actually cost the City and the people of Jacksonville will readily be explained by studying the following table.

"As the McKinley proposition is for ten years and the Bond Issue proposition is \$50,000.00 in bonds to be paid in twenty years, these explanations in the table will be readily understood.

"McKinley proposition that is without our own City Light Plant.

Table 1.	
Power for pumping city water works \$29,433.60 per year, 10 years	\$294,336
Power for heating and lighting city building, library, schools, library, Duanean park \$2450 per year for 10 years	24,500
Extensions, alterations, charging signalphone etc. 250 per year for 10 years	2,500
Special occasions, fairs, chautauqua, etc., \$100 per year for 10 years	1,000
Paid McKinley Company from Tax Levy, \$5,000 per year for 10 years	50,000
One half cost up to date Electrical Plant owned by the city at the end of 10 years. (This item represents one half of Bond Issue and depreciation as the Bond Issue is a 20 year proposition and McKinley Co., a 10 year proposition)	25,000
Three per cent of gross income of McKinley Co., paid by consumers. (This item comes from the	

people whether paid as tax payers through the sheriff's office or consumers paid through the Jacksonville Railway & Light Co's. office.) This being \$7,000 per ten years

Total for McKinley's proposition for 10 years \$467,336

Table No. 2.

The Bond Issue Proposition With Our Own City Plant.

One half of Bond Issue (The Bond Issue being a 20 year proposition; and the McKinley Co's., a ten year proposition would be

\$25,000

One half of interest on Bonds

13,125

Depreciation on plant, 7 per cent per year for 10 years

35,000

Expense of operating plant \$15,000 per year for 20 years

150,000

Total for Bond proposition for 10 years

223,125

Balance in favor of Bond proposition

224,211

Net saving to Jacksonville people per year by adopting Bond proposition

24,421

Explanation of Tables.

"Item one, table one, \$294,336 for ten years or \$29,433 per year for pumping the city water works. These are some figures from the city books. In 1911 under Commissioner C. W. Brown, the McKinley Co. charged the city \$1554.00, a rate of 2c per Kilowatt for pumping the Widenham & Daub wells a short period of time. Commissioners C. W. Brown, Knollenberg and City Clerk Pyatt stated at the time this was at rate of \$3509 per month. The city council closed down the pumps and stated the rate of the McKinley Co., was simply prohibitive and would consume almost the entire revenue of the water department. The bond issue nor the purchase of new electrical machinery by the city had not been discussed at this time. In September, October and November, 1913, the McKinley Company charged the city \$275.05 or the rate of 1.4 cents per kilowatt for pumping the Widenham & Daub wells, for these three months during a part of the time the steam pumps at the city pumping station aided in supplying water. The exact transaction was that the McKinley Company charged the city \$3004.70 for current supplied during these three months and rebated \$229.25.

"During the latter period of this time the Bond Issue had been voted upon and was again being agitated. The city had also arranged for the purchase and installation of machinery to do its own electric pumping.

Almost Prospective Competition.

"Whether the admission is made that the reduced price of current in 1913 is due to prospective competition or the claim is advanced that it is due to a change of local management does not alter the fact that the original source of purchase was the same, that is the McKinley Company. I wish to state further that the apparent cheapness of current for pumping in 1913, is also due in a degree to the fact that on the 20th day of September, 1913, the steam pumps at the City Pumping Plant came to the aid of our old friend "Kilowatt" and have continued to aid in carrying a part of the pumping load since that time. This last statement is not made with any intent of casting reflections upon the Widenham & Daub wells as it must now be apparent to the citizens of Jacksonville that these wells have already merited the financial investment. And if we are to judge by the experience of the past few months and the present flow of water with the aid of a few additional wells we would have a water supply ample in quantities and much improved in quality over our former supply.

Rates for Power Company.

"With regard to the facts regarding the purchase of power from the McKinley Co., for pumping purposes and to arrive at the accurate basis for estimating the future we will eliminate the pumping figures of 1913, i. e., \$3500.00 per month except as to the date of two cents per kilowatt which was not reduced until the city had taken measures for the establishing of its own electrical plant and had already purchased machinery with the view of producing current for pumping purposes, the city thus becoming a competitor in the production of this current, when the price was reduced something like 40 per cent by the McKinley Co.

"As to the value of municipal competition I wish to contrast this instance with the facts in the cities of Quincy and St. Louis, where the citizens expected great reductions in the price of current by the Keokuk Dam Power Company recently entering those fields. The former rates established by the Steam Company's were maintained by all the Corporations, Gentlemen's Agreement Among Companies.

To emphasize what may be expected in the way of corporate competition in Jacksonville, I will state that a member of your Committee suggested to a representative of the Central Illinois Utilities Co., the giant corporation now consolidating many of the utilities in our neighboring cities, that the field was probably now open in Jacksonville for a competing company. He was informed that there was a sort of gentlemen's agreement among Utilities Companies not to encroach upon the fields of another. These are the material facts that predominate regarding conditions that have the most influence upon the cost of electrical current in Jacksonville and are such that all the electrical experts in existence cannot remove them if they should labor us with their technical arguments for the next century to come.

"Now in explaining the basis upon which these pumping figures are founded, I wish to explain the meaning of the term "Kilowatt."

Watt was a term proposed by Dr. Siemens, in 1882 as a measure for expressing electrical power and was selected in honor of James Watt, (born 1736, died 1819) an English engineer. "Kilo is the French term for one thousand and therefore a kilowatt is one thousand watts and is the equivalent in power of approximately 1.3 horse power. The machinery at the Widenham & Daub wells consuming 108 kilowatts per hour the plant is now using 100 K. W. per hour, will supply Jacksonville with the required water supply and maintaining the required pressure throughout our entire water system. 168 kilowatts per hour, 4032 kilowatts per day, or 1,471,680 kilowatts per year at 2 cents per kilowatt, the rate charged by the McKinley Company before the element of municipal competition appeared up on the scene, amounts to \$29,433.60 per year or for 10 years \$294,336.00.

The Proposed Plant.

Our proposed municipal plant will have a capacity of 400 kilowatts per hour, and will operate easily under the load of 350 kilowatts per hour 85 kilowatts per hour will light our streets under the proposed system, add 168 kilowatts per hour for pumping purposes and we have a reserve of 97 kilowatts for minor purposes herein named.

The cost of this pumping is included in the operating expenses of our proposed municipal plant.

Item two, table one, \$14,500.00 or \$1,450.00 per year for lighting the city schools, library, city buildings, Duanean park, these figures are from the city's books for the year 1912 and are a fair basis upon which to estimate the future. Without our own plant this current would be purchased from McKinley or some other company.

Item three, table one; alterations, extensions, etc., this item is not provided for in the McKinley proposition. Our own plant would furnish this current and our own force furnish the labor at the minimum cost to the city.

Item four, table one; \$1,000.00 or \$100.00 per year for the chautauqua, fairs and special occasions, this current would have to be bought from the McKinley company. It has also been provided for in the operating expenses of our plant.

Item five, table one; \$50,000.00 or \$5,000.00 per year paid by the City of Jacksonville from the Tax Levy to the McKinley company.

Item six, table one: one-half cost of one up to date electrical plant for lighting and all other purposes where current is required it will be as efficient at the end of ten years as when installed; as it will have been cared for by expenditure of \$3,500.00 per year or \$35,000.00 in ten years, as explained under item three, table 2.

These are the depreciation figures furnished by the Massachusetts & Wisconsin commissions. This item charged here because it is simply an investment on hand and is also charged on Table 2. If we do not build we will not have it.

Item seven, table one: \$70,000.00 or \$7,000.00 per year the amount returned to the city by the McKinley company, from their gross income this being 3 per cent. The money to pay the gross income of the McKinley company in Jacksonville, is not going to come from Maine or Canada or wherever else the property is held, it is going to come from the consumers of Jacksonville, and that is where the 3 per cent will come from in the form of increased rates.

Whether you pay this money through the sheriff's office as taxes or through the Railway and Light Co., office in additional rates the source will be the same that is the consumer.

Explanation of Table Two.

Item one, table two, \$25,000 represents one half of the bond issue, one half the cost of building our proposed municipal plant. (The bond issue is a 20 year proposition and the McKinley a 10 year proposition.)

Item two, table two, \$13,125.00 represents one half the interest on bonds. Read the Bond Ordinance carefully when published and you will understand the apparent deficiency in interest. It is the method of paying the bond that causes this apparent deficiency.

Item three, table two, \$5,000, or \$3500 per year depreciation which would be expended on municipal plant and maintain the maximum efficiency at all times.

Item four, table two, \$150,000 or \$15,000 per year operating expenses.

It has been proposed to the city council by the committee from the Chamber of Commerce that the two new boilers that the water department proposes purchasing be turned over to the electrical department and their price be accepted in current.

This will establish a battery of boilers that will be a decided step towards commercial lighting. If this can be arranged the total for our proposed plant will then be \$73,000. To demonstrate that this amount will purchase some electrical equipment let us refer to the McKinley Plant in Jacksonville.

Assessment on Power House & Gas Plant corner of S. Main and Anna Sts. This includes real estate, all buildings, machinery and equipment on this property, total value \$105,000

Lines, gas mains, etc., outside of power house and referring to electric gas lighting, heating, power, etc. in Jacksonville, total value 46,635

Assessment capital stock Electric & Gas Plant full value (this does not include the street railway.) This is a class of machinery not needed or found in the construction and maintenance of a municipal light plant.) And not included in Prof. Bryant's comparative statement to

the Courier, please observe it is about two-sevenths of their plant.. 60,000

Total .....

AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

New Circular in Cattle Feeding.

The University of Illinois agricultural experiment station has just issued a new circular on "Economic Factors in Cattle Feeding," by Herbert W. Mumford, chief in animal husbandry. This circular is the third of a series on this subject, and is a general review of beef production in the United States. The early history of American beef production is cited and the factors which played an important part in bringing about the recent development of the industry are related. Other points treated are: Ratio of cattle to population, geographical distribution of cattle in the United States, development of the great cattle markets, the passing of the range, and beef production in the south.

The Pestiferous Cur.

Last year in Ohio 18,815 sheep were killed by dogs and \$255 injured. Ridding the country of sheep worrying dogs is a real and serious problem, and especially so now when so many sheepless farms should begin to start flocks. Perhaps we must co-operate and legislate and cogitate to annihilate these hound dog pests. At the same time, however, each one of us might get more effective and lasting results by disposing effectively of all worthless curs caught-trespassing on our premises.—From Breeders' Gazette.

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The boys and girls will take turns in managing the booths. Four girls and two boys will take charge at 10 in the morning to be relieved at 6 o'clock by a like number. Professor Morrison will supervise the finances, checking up and settling with each shift at the end of their time. By this method of changing those in charge of the booths, almost a hundred students will have an opportunity to participate in the high school's part in the Made in Jacksonville show.

Students intending to participate in the essay contest Tuesday will remember to have their papers on "Why You Should Live in Jacksonville" in the hands of the Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce by Monday noon, Dec. 8th in order that the special committee appointed for the purpose may have time to judge them.

## NIGHTINGALE CLUB.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Steer entertained the Nightingale Club, Thursday evening at their home on South Clay avenue. Music and games afforded much pleasure, progressive euchre being the main feature. Prizes being awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kenney, Mrs. Dan Keating and Mr. Lew Garner. Delicious refreshments were served, after which all departed at a late hour, with many good wishes to the hostess.

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FOR MRS. EWEN I. WHITLOCK

Last Rites at Home of Mother, Mrs. Alice Nelms Smith, Attended By Many Relatives and Friends.

The funeral of Mrs. Eloise Smith Whitlock, wife of Ewen I. Whitlock, was held at 2:30 Friday afternoon from the home of her mother, Mrs. Alice Nelms Smith, 133 Park street. The services were in charge of the Rev. J. W. Miller, pastor of Grace M. E. church, of which Mrs. Whitlock was a member. "What I do Thou knowest not now; but Thou shalt know hereafter," John 13-7, was the text from which the pastor spoke, offering the hearts of the many present relatives and friends true and lasting comfort from the words of the all-knowing, sympathetic Master.

A beautiful solo by Robert M. Hockenbush, "And God Shall Wipe Away All Tears," began the services. Rev. Mr. Miller read a brief lesson from scripture, after which he spoke feelingly on the kindness of God and His inscrutable ways. At the close, he read the poem, "The Rose Still Grows By the Garden Wall," and offered a brief prayer. Miss Mabel Mathews sang "In the Time of Roses." Miss Carrie Dunlap acted as accompanist.

Rev. Mr. Miller said that the words of the Master quoted were very fitting as it would be hardly possible for us to understand the plans of God with regard to ourselves alone, much less may we comprehend the complexity of His providence when there is concerned the lives of all humanity. We shall surely "know hereafter" although hindered now by the violence of our emotions and the intensity of love's wild cry for what the grave has seized. The mystery is only temporary. However dark and deep it now may be, all will be clear if we only wait and trust.

The lovely flowers which were in great profusion were cared for by Mrs. E. P. Brockhouse, Miss Mabel Goltra, Mrs. M. E. Gilbert, Mrs. Dean Geer and Mrs. Sadie Ellis Stoldt. The bearers were E. M. Dunlap, Homer Potter, Dr. George Stacy, Hugh Green, Arthur Vannier and M. C. Hook.

Interment was made in Diamond Grove cemetery.

Among those present from a distance were Miss M. Maude Smith, of Elkhart, Ind., a sister of the deceased; Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Whitlock, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Whitlock and Mrs. S. A. D. Whitlock of Murrayville, Mrs. T. Whitlock of Athensville, Mrs. F. C. Walbaum of Ashland, Mrs. Martin Roberts and Mrs. Abe Seymour of Franklin and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Strawn and Mrs. E. J. Kumble of Alexander.

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We simply mention that we have for you extra nice pies, made from our own pure homemade mince meat; nice layer cakes in walnut, caramel, coconut and chocolate; maple moose and tutti fruit ice cream, salted nuts and bon'bons. This is coffee cake day and be sure to have one set aside for you. The telephone number is 227. Order right now. Vickery & Merrigan.

Christmas sale of fancy articles by the ladies of State Street church at Johnson & Hackett's Saturday.

## ROADS IN BAD SHAPE.

People who drove in from the country yesterday, both far and near reported that the roads are in bad condition. The recent rains have been such that the moisture extends considerable distance down.

**WESTMINSTER CHURCH BAZAAR AND MARGIE**  
The Ladies of Westminster church will hold their bazaar and market in the church, Tuesday, Dec. 9. There will be wool and cotton rugs for sale, aprons and many pretty fancy articles. Coffee and sandwiches will be served during the day. Mrs. James Capps is chairman of the Bazaar and Mrs. George Tremblant of the market.

**TO SING AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH.**  
Hubert Little will favor the audience at the Christian church Sunday evening with a tenor solo.

LARGE NUMBER CONTRIBUTES  
TOWARD INSTITUTE PRIZES

Committee of Chamber of Commerce Meets With Good Success—Have Raised About \$375.

Good success has attended the efforts of the soliciting committee for the cash prize fund for the coming farmers' institute to be held here next week, December 10-13. T. M. Timlinson is the chairman of the soliciting committee and he with able assistants solicited the money. Something like \$375 has been raised and anyone willing to help such a good cause is requested to call on Mr. Timlinson or send him whatever they are willing to contribute.

A. R. Taylor, W. F. Widmayer, Jerry Cox, C. A. Boruff, Thos. Cain, P. P. Staley, J. L. Pine, Lukeman Bros., Frank Byrns, Dave Estaque, Miller Bros, A. Wehl, Otto Spiehl, Robt. Smith, W. D. Gates, Peacock Inn, M. R. Fitch, G. A. Sieber, R. C. Reynolds, L. A. Barnhart, W. O. Swales, Wm. Osborne, J. B. Williamson, Wells Fargo Co., Geo. T. Douglas, Franks & Randall, O. S. Martin, M. E. Gilbert, Journal Co., J. B. Reynolds, H. M. Havenhill, Geo. S. Gay, Rev. Mr. Waddell, P. J. Staley, Hopper & Son, S. S. Kresge Co., J. Herman, Cherry Livery, Russell & Lyons, Barrs Laundry, Wm. Switzer, Henry Stevenson, J. B. Seaver, James West, Geo. H. Harney, L. D. Caywood, I. E. Worfolk, J. P. Lippincott, Scott Green, M. L. Hildreth, W. D. Cody, F. J. Andrews, C. E. Scott, W. M. Coverly, E. W. Bassett, F. G. Farrell Co., A. Smith, Butler & Cully, Weber & Sons, W. P. Duncan, C. Buckingham, Green Luttrell, Pacific Hotel, James McGinnis, Hall's Cafe, C. S. Hillyerby, George Schmalz, Cooper & Shreeve, Andre & Andre, Myer Bros., T. M. Timlinson, Joseph Burger, Frost & Nolly, D. Schram, J. Bart Johnson, W. B. Miser, S. S. Knoles, G. V. Skinner, Martin Bros, Cannon-Kelley, Jenkinson & Rode, H. C. Montgomery, Elliott State Bank, LaCrosse Lumber Co., Vickery & Merrigan, National Express Co., Ayers National Bank, Brockton & Jenkinson, P. J. Garland & Co., Clarence B. Massey, W. S. Ehnie & Bro., Williamson & Cody, Hamilton & Mullenix, Montgomery & Deppe, Wm. & F. L. Batz, Bergschneider & Kumble, Armstrong & Armstrong, A. P. Vasconcellos & Son, Jacksonville National Bank, Jacksonville Farm Supply Co., Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie, Farmers State Bank & Trust Co., Jacksonville Courier, Mathis, Kahm & Shippe, F. W. Woolworth Co., H. L. & B. W. Smith, Phelps & Osborne.

**JACKSONVILLE BREEDERS MAKE GOOD AT BEARDSTOWN**  
Mrs. James C. Weber and Mrs. Allen Franz have returned from Beardstown where they attended the Cass County poultry show. Both brought back with them beautiful silver cups won by their birds which they had there on exhibition. J. C. and A. P. Weber won the silver cup for the best pen of White Orpingtons, they had 1st cock, 1st hen, 2nd and 3rd pullet and 2nd hen, 1st pen. Mrs. Franz won her cup on the highest scoring bird in the show room in the White Wyandotte class. She also had 1st and 2nd hen, 2nd cock and 2nd pen. On her White Cochins bantams she won 1st cock and 1st hen on the pair she had entered. Leonard A. Day won 1st hen, 1st, 2nd and 3rd pullet on his Black Langshans he won 1st and 2nd hen and 1st and 2nd pullet and 1st pen. The Cass County show was one of the largest ever held and a lot of fine birds were on exhibit. The Jacksonville breeders feel mighty proud of their winnings and all want to go back next year and try to bring back a few more of their cups to Morgan County where the real prize winners come from.

## IF CHILD IS CROSS, FEVERISH AND SICK

Look Mother—If Tongue is Coated, Cleanse Little Bowels With "California Syrup of Figs."

Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely. A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is, they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sours, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested blood passes out of the system, and you have a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers give "California Syrup of Figs" because it is perfectly harmless; children love it, and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs" which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Adv.

## Submitting to the Inevitable

The different cloak manufacturers on Dec. 1, 2 and 3 held their Annual Clearance Sale. This year their concessions were a total and absolute surrender to the peculiarly unusual weather conditions.

It happened to have been our lot to start in the Cloak and Suit business just at its unfoldment and to have followed it closely in all the different phases of its remarkable development.

Never in the last 20 years have the weather conditions been more unfavorable and never has there been more clean and desirable merchandise thrown on the market at such ruinous prices.

Our knowledge of the distribution facilities of this store led us to purchase largely with perfect confidence in the belief that these hundreds of cloaks would be sold in Jacksonville and vicinity.

A fact to be remembered, is that being sole agents for the PRINTZESS garments, we are the only ones empowered to show their goods at reduced prices. All cloaks are priced in six groups. Hundreds in all to select from with perfect confidence in the styles and guaranteed wearing qualities.

Cloaks	Cloaks	Cloaks	Cloaks	Cloaks	Cloaks
\$7.50	\$10.75	\$13.75	\$16.75	\$19.75	\$25.00
SUITS IN TWO LOTS, \$13.75 AND \$18.00					
DRESSES IN TWO LOTS, \$5.00 AND \$10.00					

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Magnificent and elaborately framed that retail everywhere at \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00

On Sale This Week at

**\$1.19** Cash

The International Picture Frame Co. of Chicago bought an entire Moulding Plant which was in financial difficulty. This is how it comes, that you can buy

**\$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00 Pictures for \$1.19**

The subjects comprise such variety as to enable selection of pictures for any room. A rare opportunity to buy a beautiful and acceptable Christmas present at unheard of low price

Will hold until Christmas if desired.

## Johnson, Hackett &amp; Guthrie

East Side House Furnishers.

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SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE

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Given with every spot cash purchase. This means a big saving to you, for you get the choicest cuts, as the butcher says. You don't pay any more money and you get a discount on your spending. It's a good way to make yourself a Christmas present.

## We're Selling Handkerchiefs

TO MOST EVERYBODY.  
SUCH BEAUTIFUL STYLES

**Special Initial Handkerchiefs**—The best line we ever had. Ladies' at 25c per box of 3. Lineweave and three styles of letters in each box, all linen, 3 for 50c and 25c each. Men's at 10c, 15c, 25c. Ladies' pure linen handkerchiefs at 5c. Men's pure linen handkerchiefs at 10c. Specials in both at \$1.50 to \$2.00 per dozen. These are famous values with us.

Christmas presents for every member of every family. Come, look us over, visit our rect room, let us help you solve the gift problem. Safest Place to Trade. The Store with the Christmas Spirit.

FLORETH CO.  
Christmas Shopping Bulletin

For information where greatest bargains can be had for your Christmas Gifts.

**Ladies' Suits.** The greatest suit offer in Jacksonville. \$20.00 latest style suits for **\$13.50**

**Coats.** Ladies' and Misses' High grade coats. Ural Lamb, Arabian Lamb, Plush and large line of fancies; all sizes at 25 per cent reduction.

**Millinery.** Any trimmed hat in our store at 1/2 price.

**Handkerchiefs** for Christmas. All this week if our stock lasts that long. 50 doz. to choose from. Embroidered and hem-stitched of very fine quality. These handkerchiefs are our regular 25c values. For this week are **15c. 2 for 25c.**

**65 doz. Fine Cambric Handkerchiefs.** There are all kinds of designs of embroideries and plain hem-stitching. **10c. 3 for 25c.**

All our 5c **Handkerchiefs** are **6 for 25c.**

**Handkerchiefs** we offer you at 25 and 50c are extra good.

**Outing Flannel 6 1/2 & 10c.**

**Outing Flannel Gown 50c and \$1.00.**

**Ladies' Fine Quality Fleece Union Suits, 50c 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.**

**Ladies' Fleece Vest or Pants 25c and 50c.**

Come to our store for your Christmas Shopping.

**FLORETH CO.**



## Recent Arrivals in Women's Shoes



In a recent shipment of women's fine shoes we received several styles with the popular new kidney heel effect. If you want dress shoes let us dress them correctly with some of the new styles. See some of the late arrivals in show window.

## Christmas Slipper Suggestions

We want to impress upon you the importance of shopping early. Our showing of Christmas slippers is now complete, but sizes and styles soon get broken and it will be impossible for us to duplicate. Choice styles of felt slippers for all sizes of feet. SHOP EARLY.



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Equipped to do prompt work

**HOPPER'S**

**XMAS SLIPPERS**  
Our stock is now complete.

## KILLBREW ELECTED CAPTAIN J. H. S. TEAM

NAMED PILOT FOR 1914 BY A UNANIMOUS VOTE.

Illinois College Announces Basketball Schedule For Season—Other Colleges Announce Games For Year.

At a recent meeting of the football team of the Jacksonville High school, Clay Killbrew, was unanimously elected captain of the team for the season of 1914. He was put in nomination by Capt. Haigh of this year's team and received the position without opposition. Killbrew's work the past season easily won him the position. His selection on the all star state team was a cause of much congratulation, not only to Killbrew but to the other members of the team. It is safe to predict that the eleven of 1914 will hold a record second to none when the figures are tallied after the Turkey day game.

Manager William Allcott has been working on a basketball schedule for the year, but as yet the same has not been completed. One thing is certain, the local school will have two games with Springfield, and Quincy, Keokuk and other good schools will be in the list.

**Basketball at I. C.**  
Calvin Atchison of the Illinois college has been working on a schedule for the season and announces the following list of games:

Jan. 9—Millikin U. at Decatur.  
Jan. 17—Wesleyan U. at Bloomington.  
Jan. 31—Carthage at Carthage.  
Feb. 4—Shurtleff at Jacksonville.  
Feb. 7—Christian Brothers at Jacksonville.  
Feb. 13—Christian Brothers at St. Louis.  
Feb. 14—Shurtleff at Alton.  
Feb. 19—Millikin at Jacksonville.  
Feb. 27—Wesleyan U. at Jacksonville.  
The other schedules of minor colleges follow:

**Normal University.**  
Jan. 2—Lincoln College at Lincoln.  
Jan. 9—Wesleyan at Bloomington.  
Jan. 16—Millikin at Normal.  
Jan. 23—Hedding at Normal.  
Jan. 24—Bradley at Peoria.  
Jan. 30—Lincoln College at Normal.  
Feb. 6—William & Vashti at Alton.  
Feb. 7—Hedding at Abingdon.  
Feb. 13—Millikin at Decatur.  
Feb. 18—Wesleyan at Normal.  
Feb. 27—Bradley at Normal.  
**Millikin University.**  
Jan. 9—Illinois college at De-

catur.  
Jan. 16—Normal at Normal.  
Jan. 23—Illinois Wesleyan at Bloomington.  
Feb. 3—Wesleyan at Decatur.  
Feb. 7—Bradley at Peoria.  
Feb. 13—Normal at Decatur.  
Feb. 19—Illinois college at Jacksonville.  
Feb. 17—Bradley at Decatur.  
March 6—Tournament possibly at Decatur.

**Wesleyan University.**  
Dec. 12—U. of I. at Bloomington.  
Dec. 19—Eureka at Bloomington.  
Jan. 9—Normal at Bloomington.  
Jan. 14—Lincoln at Bloomington.  
Jan. 17—Illinois College at Bloomington.  
Jan. 23—Millikin at Bloomington.  
Jan. 31—William and Vashti at Bloomington.  
Feb. 6—Millikin at Decatur.  
Feb. 14—McKendree at Bloomington.  
Feb. 18—Normal at Normal.  
Feb. 20—Bradley at Peoria.  
Feb. 26—Lincoln at Lincoln.  
Feb. 27—Illinois College at Jacksonville.

Feb. 28—McKendree at Lebanon.  
**Peoria Ind. Schedule.**  
The Peoria Independent basketball team has scheduled a number of games for the season. Already they have played Canton, Fairbury and on December 26 will play Jacksonville Y. M. C. A. here. Their schedule follows:  
Dec. 26—Jacksonville at Jacksonville.  
Jan. 3—Peru Y. M. C. A. at Peru.  
Jan. 8—Decatur Y. M. C. A. at Peoria.  
Jan. 17—Fairbury at Peoria.  
Jan. 23—Jacksonville at Peoria.  
Jan. 30—Decatur Y. M. C. A. at Decatur.  
Feb. 7—DePaul University at Chicago.  
Feb. 13—Peru Y. M. C. A. at Peoria.

**Bradley Polytechnic.**  
Manager Ditewig of the Bradley Polytechnic has announced the following schedule:  
Dec. 13—Eureka at Peoria.  
Dec. 19—Shurtleff at Alton.  
Dec. 20—Christian Brothers college at St. Louis.  
Jan. 9—Lincoln at Lincoln.  
Jan. 13—Normal at Peoria.  
Jan. 17—Lincoln at Peoria.  
Jan. 20—Normal at Normal.  
Jan. 23—Williams and Vashti at Alton.  
Jan. 24—Augustana at Rock Island.  
Jan. 31—Open.  
Feb. 4—Hedding at Peoria.  
Feb. 7—Millikin at Peoria.  
Feb. 14—Open.  
Feb. 17—Williams and Vashti at Peoria.  
Feb. 20—Wesleyan at Peoria.  
Feb. 21—Hedding at Abingdon.  
Feb. 27—Millikin at Decatur.  
Feb. 28—Eastern Illinois State Normal at Charleston.

Your best interests will be served by getting your clothes of Knoles.

## MUCH INTEREST IN DEBATING AT JACKSONVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

Forty Come Out For Preliminary Try-Outs—Will Debate Springfield, Quincy and Alton—To Discuss Minimum Wage.

The Jacksonville high school bids fair to distinguish herself in debating this year if inference may be drawn from the activities of the preliminary squad, forty strong. A thorough study is being made by the students and teachers in the squad of the questions of minimum wage, the Tri-league subject and commission form of government. The questions will be well threshed out and discussed and just before the holidays will occur the try-outs for the two debating teams, one of which will debate Quincy and the other Springfield. As agreed upon by the three schools of the Tri-League the question is: "Resolved, that the policy of fixing a minimum wage by state boards is desirable." The debates in the league will be held some time in March and an independent debate with the Alton high school the latter part of January. A debate may also be held with Beardstown.

The winner in the Tri-league, composed of the high schools of Jacksonville, Quincy and Springfield will contest in turn with the winners of two other tri-leagues of central and northern Illinois which have organized this year under the name of "The Triple-Triangular League." Last year the high school debating matters dropped, but the interest shown at present makes it appear that it may win distinction in a wider field than ever before.

Principal Collins, assisted by Miss Day has charge of the work, which is to be carried on independently of that of the regular literary societies. Robert Nesmith is the chairman of the squad, Miss Velma Whitlock is the secretary and Ordain Fox, Harlan Williamson and Sol Weber compose the steering committee.

No question or time has been agreed upon with Beardstown, but Principal Collins is in negotiation with H. G. Russell, principal of the high school there and will know in a few days whether Jacksonville is to meet its Cass county rival in debate.

A secondary question, on the commission form of municipal government, has been prepared by Principal Collins, which the members of the squad will work up along with the main question on minimum wage. Mr. Collins will mimeograph and distribute copies of the Commission Form law of March 9, 1910. The students will consider the commission form in contrast with other forms of municipal government, from the older mayor and council system to the most modern board of director and city manager plans. They will discuss it in its relation to the civil service, home rule for cities, the recall and the arbitrary fixing of salaries by state governments.

Large display of rugs at sacrifice prices. 227 E. State Street.

## MORTUARY

Royce.

Ira Royce, who has been ill for the past month, with heart trouble died Friday evening at 6 o'clock at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Royce, 1336 West Lafayette avenue. He was born in Cisco, Ill., Nov. 15, 1888, being 25 years of age. Besides his parents he is survived by three sisters, Mrs. John Goken of Cisco and Misses Lucy and Esther at home. Mr. Royce was a young man whom everybody loved and respected. He was a member of the Sunday school of the school for the deaf.

No funeral arrangements have been made.

Samples.

Mrs. J. D. Samples died Friday morning at 8:30 o'clock at her home near Auburn after an illness of two years. The deceased was a daughter of Mrs. Mary Cox of the Sulphur Springs neighborhood who survives her as do William and Rosa Cox, her brothers. L. Samples of the Sulphur Springs neighborhood is a brother of the husband of the deceased who was a woman highly esteemed by all who knew her. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Market Western Union Today.

## JOHN LAMBERT OF WAVERLY DIES SUDDENLY FRIDAY

Coroner of Sangamon County Holds Inquest—Is Served With Notice by Coroner Wright That Proceeding Was Illegal.

A question of law regarding the jurisdiction of coroners was raised by the death of John Lambert of Waverly who passed away suddenly Friday morning.

Mr. Lambert, who resides in Waverly, went to his farm, one and one half miles east of Waverly, which is in Sangamon county, Friday morning for a load of shock corn. After he had driven through a gate he got down from the wagon, leaving Mrs. Lambert to hold the team while he closed the gate. His wife looked around and saw Mr. Lambert on the ground and she immediately became alarmed and called to Grant Taylor and John Bridges, who were at work in a nearby field, for assistance. The men put Mr. Lambert, who was unconscious, on the wagon and Mr. Taylor accompanied Mrs. Lambert in bringing her husband to Waverly.

On the way to town Mr. Lambert died and his remains were taken on to his home in Waverly. It is stated that he died before reaching the Morgan county line and Coroner Rhodes of Springfield went to Waverly and held an inquest at the home of the dead man. Coroner George W. Wright of this city, who was also notified of the death, went to Waverly but found that the Sangamon coroner was already holding an inquest and after the session Coroner Rhodes was served with notice that the proceeding was illegal. It is said that the law stipulates that where the body of the deceased lies the coroner of that county shall conduct the inquest. There is also question as to whether Coroner Rhodes, who is an official of Sangamon county, could legally hold an inquest in Morgan county, in which the residence of the deceased is located.

The jury impaneled by Coroner Rhodes consisted of the following: William Curtis, Addison Brian, George Billing, Star Edwards, Frank Wood and William Thomas. Mr. Lambert was 68 years of age and a veteran of the civil war. He is survived by his widow and the following children: Charles, Walter, Thomas, Frank and Florence Lambert, all residents of Waverly. Arrangements have been made to hold the funeral at the residence of the deceased in Waverly this afternoon at 3 o'clock in charge of Rev. Mr. Watts of Waverly.

**SPECIAL FOR TODAY**  
MINCE PIE  
IDEAL BAKERY, E. STATE ST.

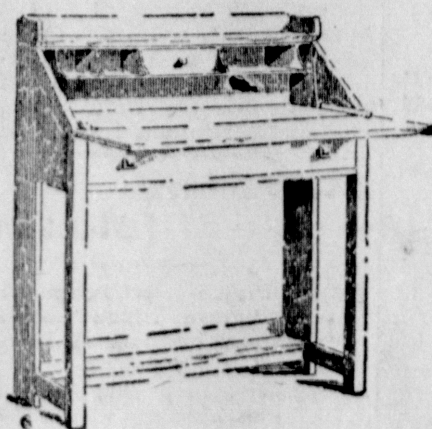
**BIRTH RECORD.**  
Born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Stout of 717 North Main street a 12 3-4 pound son, Arthur Wesley Stout.

## GOOD FURNITURE---Most Acceptable as a Gift of Permanent Value.

Our Furniture Section provides an assortment of pieces appropriate as Christmas gifts which should satisfy every demand in variety and price. Every section, every floor, is now arranged so as to make the selection of gifts easy and convenient. Purchases made now will be held for delivery when desired.

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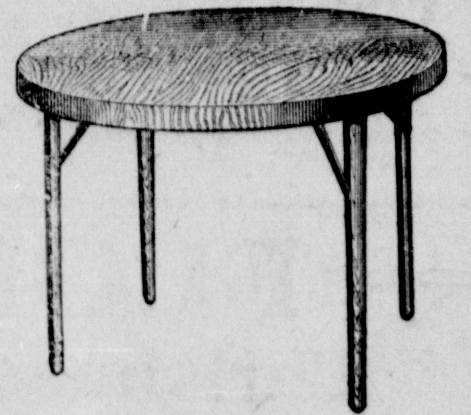


Ladies' Desks in solid mahogany, golden, early English, fumed oak and bird's eye maple. The most extensive line we have ever shown. The solid mahogany ones range in price from \$20.00; other finishes fumed oak, from \$5.00.  
One like cut, fumed oak, Lambert make at ..... \$21.50



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Folding card tables. The celebrated "Peerless." Strongest, hand-somest table made; ideal for a useful gift. All sizes and finishes, both round and square \$3.50 to ..... \$5.00

Trays are here in solid mahogany and Bombay reed, all sizes and shapes; one similar to cut. Solid mahogany, standard size, regular value, \$7.50, at ..... \$5.95

## GIFTS OF PRETTY PICTURES FOR THE HOME

The gift of a picture is always in good taste. We are offering special inducements, which should attract purchasers to these. You'll find here hand colored imported Photogravures, hand colored Photographs, genuine Carbons, Carbon Prints, Water Colors, Pastels and Novelty pictures, over 500 in all. Priced 10c and up.

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Pre-eminently the gift store for everybody. Purchases will be held for Christmas delivery.

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10 Bars Lenox Soap 25c

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